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CLASS 1959

MENARD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Conducted by

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Foreword

The 1959 MENARDIAN is presented to its readers in a specific manner. This yearbook will bring back the cherished memories of the best years of our lives—high school years.

The contents of the 1959 annual are placed in six categories; each one is significant in relating the events which compose the lives of high school students.

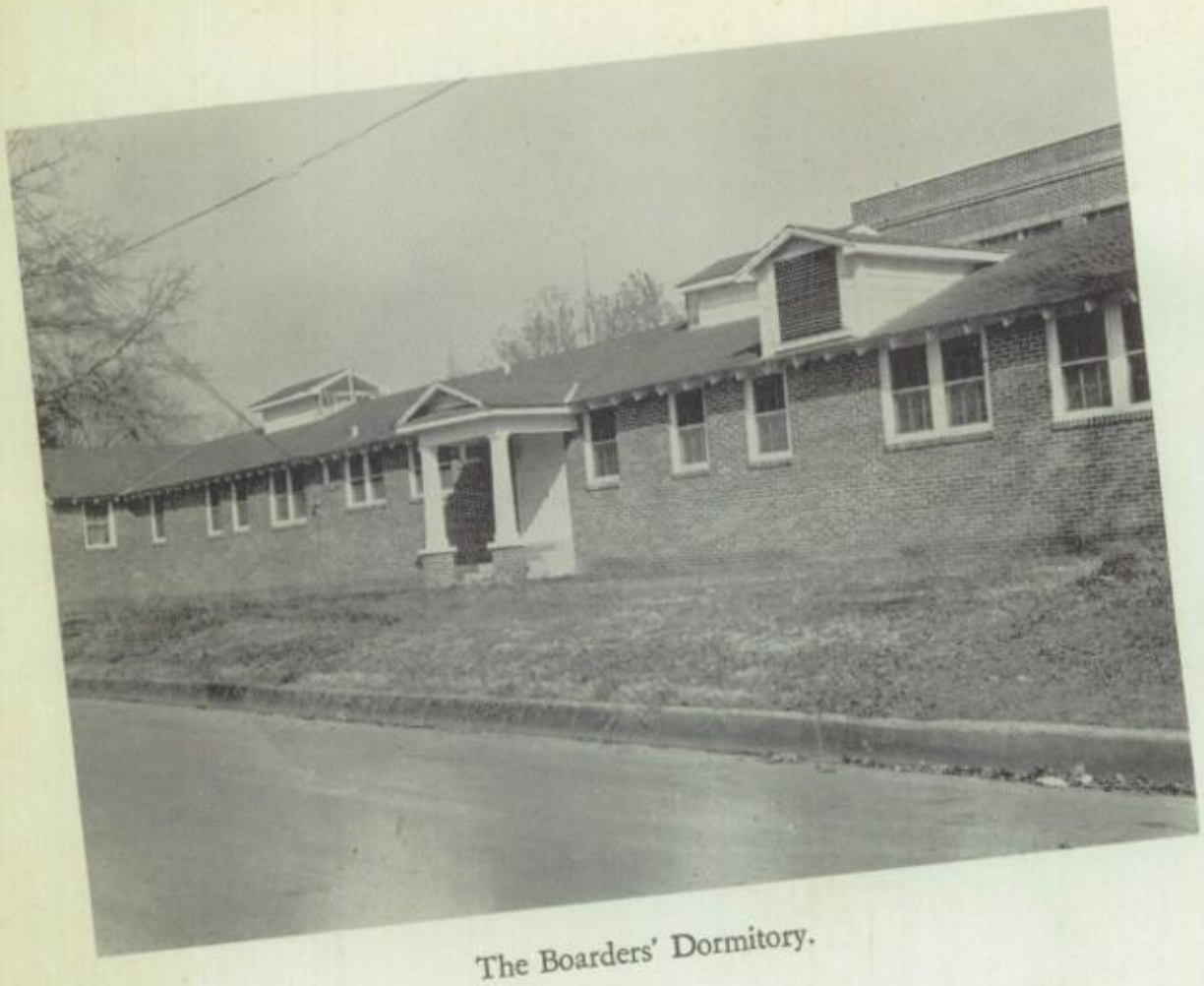
For four years Menard seniors have struggled to attain their present position. Their next step will lead them to the vocations which they will hold throughout adult life.

May the present seniors and those who follow make the proper decisions and maintain the principles of Catholic manhood which have been inculcated by our instructors.

THE MENARDIAN STAFF

For the past seven years Brother Maximin, better known as Brother Max, has given, without reserve, his unselfish services as a Brother of the Sacred Heart at Menard. He has contributed greatly to the advancement of the Catholic education of all the students. Everyone who has come under his influence agrees that this man of God has done more than his share in promoting the progress and manly spirit in our school.

We hope that by dedicating our yearbook to him, we may in a small way express our gratitude for his constant guidance, friendliness, incomparable leadership, and zealous devotion to the students of MENARD.

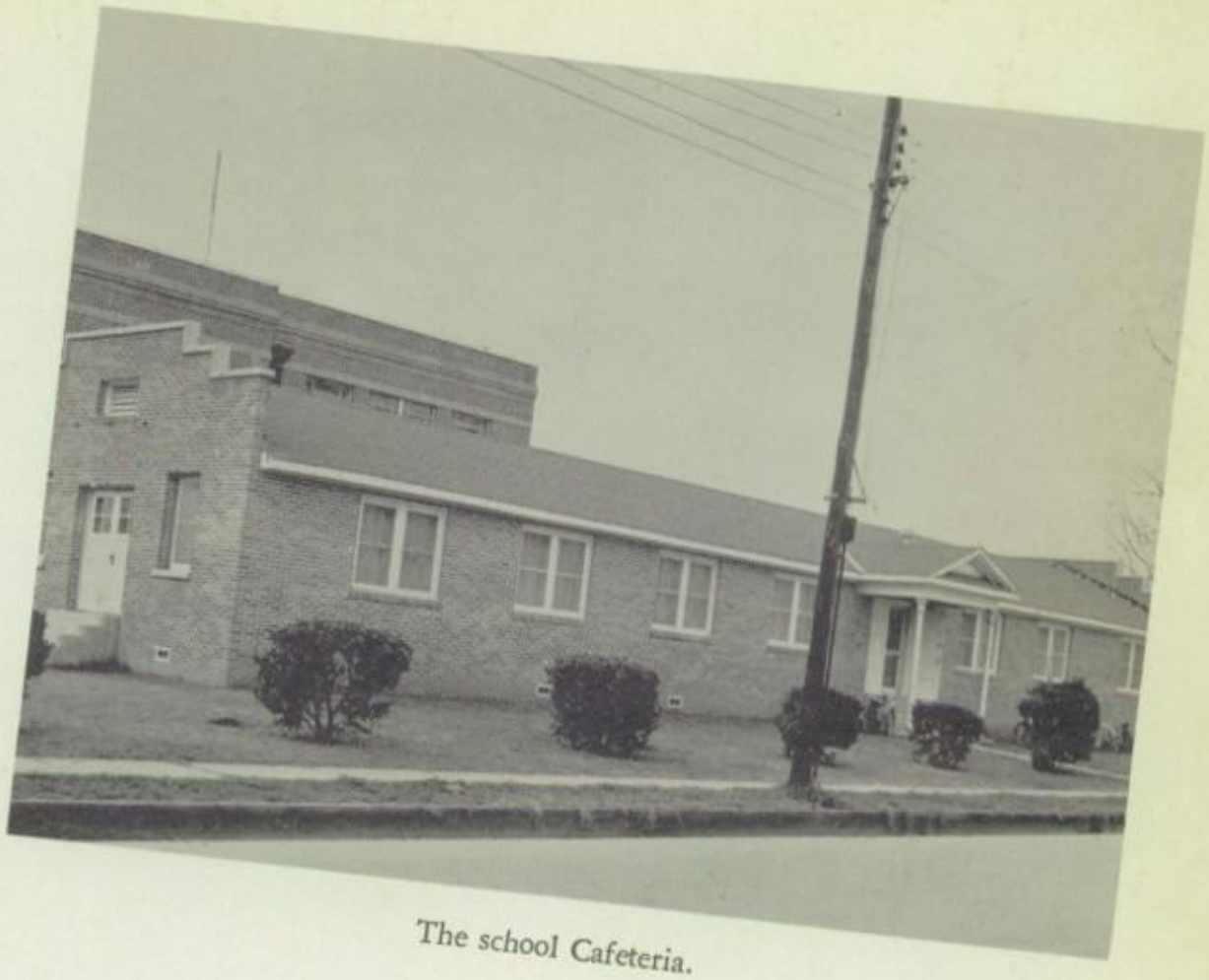


The Boarders' Dormitory.

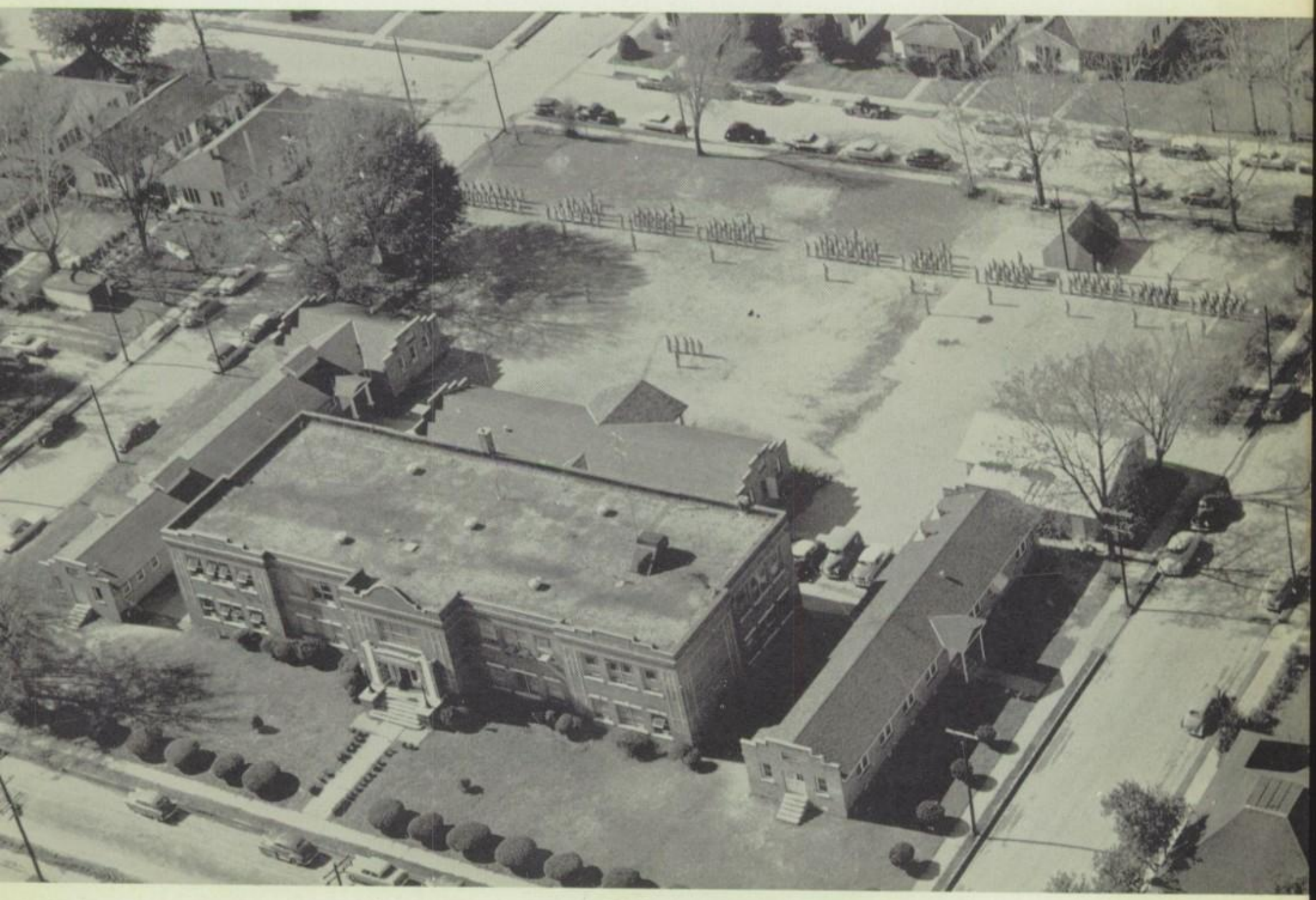
The Recreation Hall and rear o

Front view of our school.

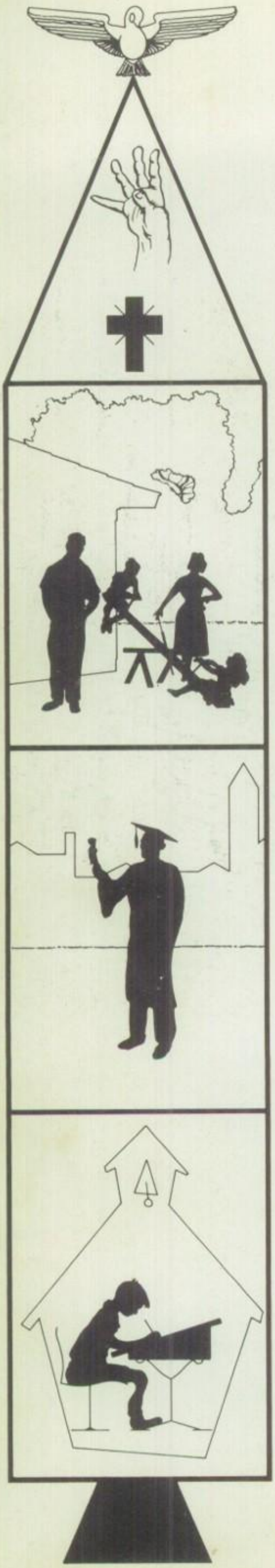
Main Building.



The school Cafeteria.



The entire school and student body are seen in this aerial view.



Principal's Message

DEAR GRADUATES:

To you belongs the Age of Rockets and Satellites! What a glorious future is in store for you! However, you must remember that your ROCKET has already been launched.

Your *FIRST STAGE* is ready to burn out. What amount of THRUST has been given depends upon the amount of effort you have expended during your years of high school. Unlike all the other rockets, yours is manned—by YOU. Also unlike the other Rockets, your THRUST FUEL continues from one stage — your learning achievement, your will, your love for God, and your RELIGION. Without these, you will never get into the next stage.

Should the above be mixed in the proper proportion, your *SECOND STAGE* has begun. You are now pulling away from the GRAVITY of your teachers and your parents. Presuming that your goal is College, you will be left much on your own. If you keep your fuel—Learning, Will, Love of God, Religion—in the proper mixture, you will have nothing to worry about. If your fuel lacks the proper proportional mixture, you will begin to fall from your lofty position.

The *THIRD STAGE* is in YOURS AND GOD'S HANDS. YOU are in the "driver's seat" of the Satellite. You can guide it where it will forever be in ORBIT in God Himself, or you can guide it elsewhere. WHAT WILL BE YOUR DECISION? ONLY YOU AND GOD KNOW THAT!

DEAR GRADUATES, set your sights to orbit in God. You will never fail if that is your objective. We, your PARENTS and TEACHERS, are proud of you. DON'T DISAPPOINT ANY OF US. MAY GOD BLESS YOU!

Brother Hugh, S.C.

Pope John XXIII

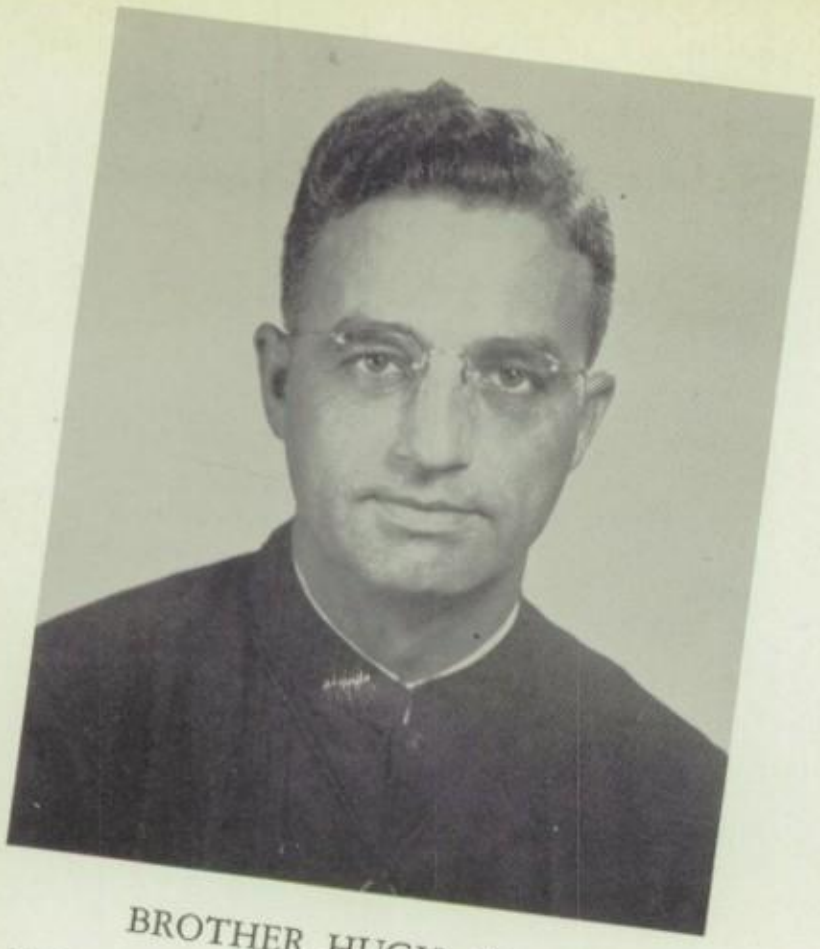
His Holiness graciously receives in a private audience Rev. Brother Josaphat, S.C., Superior General of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart (to the right of Our Holy Father) and the members of the General Council.

Our Bishop

THE MOST REVEREND CHARLES PASCAL GRECO, D.D.

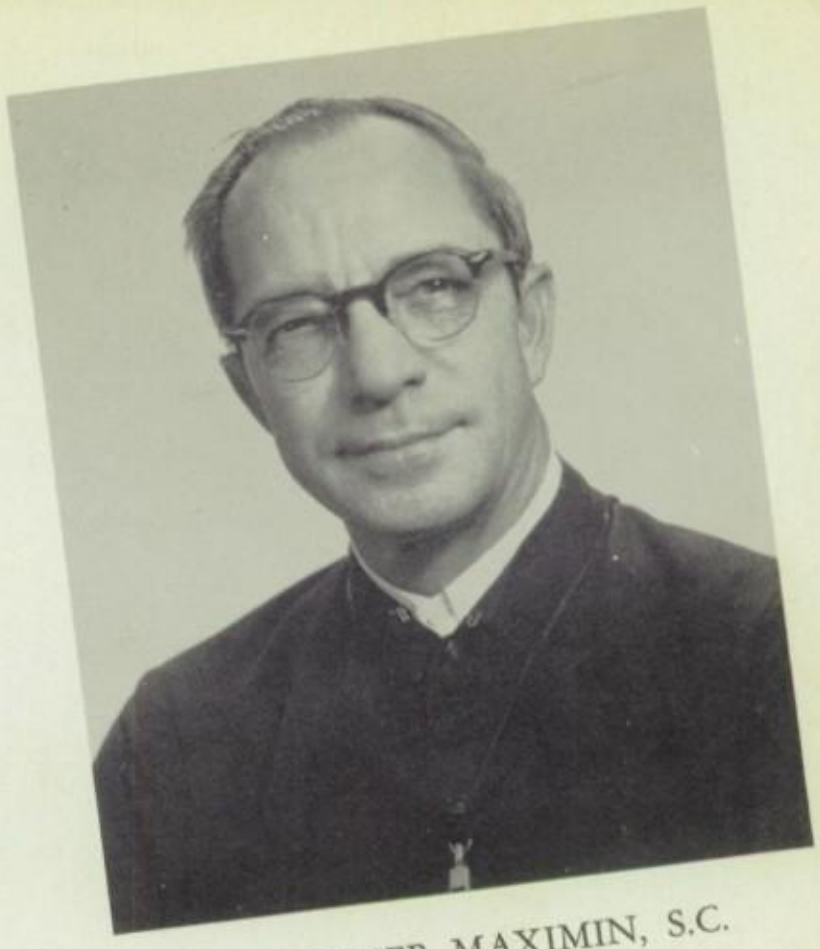
Bishop of Alexandria

VIVAT JESUS



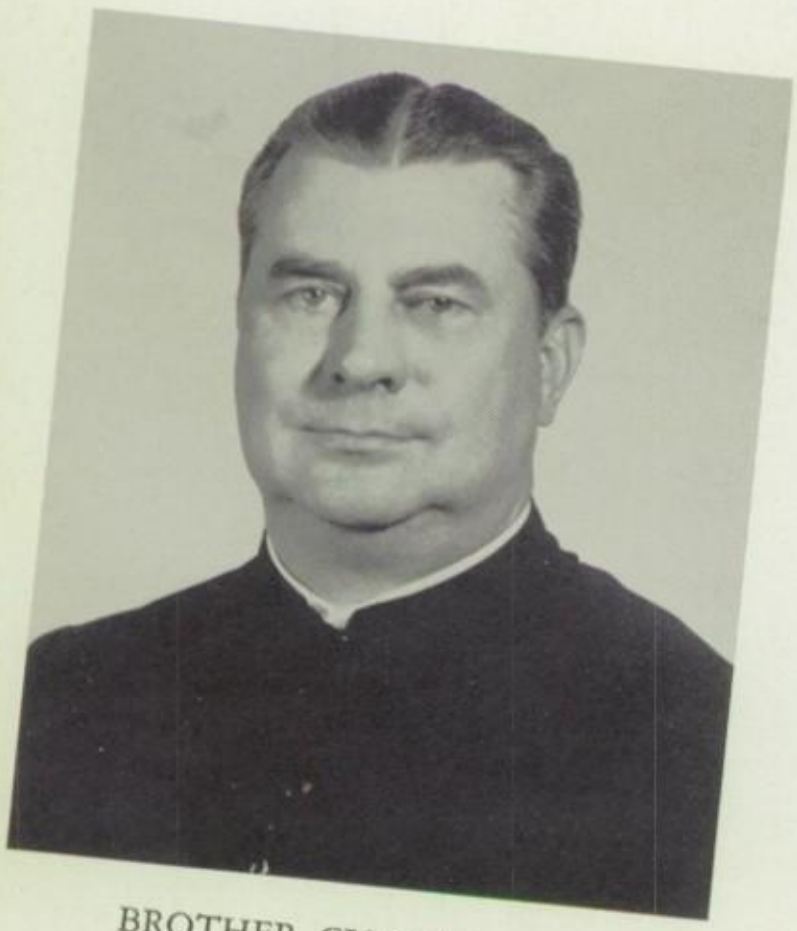
BROTHER HUGH, S.C.

M.S., Fordham; Principal; Religion, English, Mothers' Club Moderator, Athletic Association Moderator.



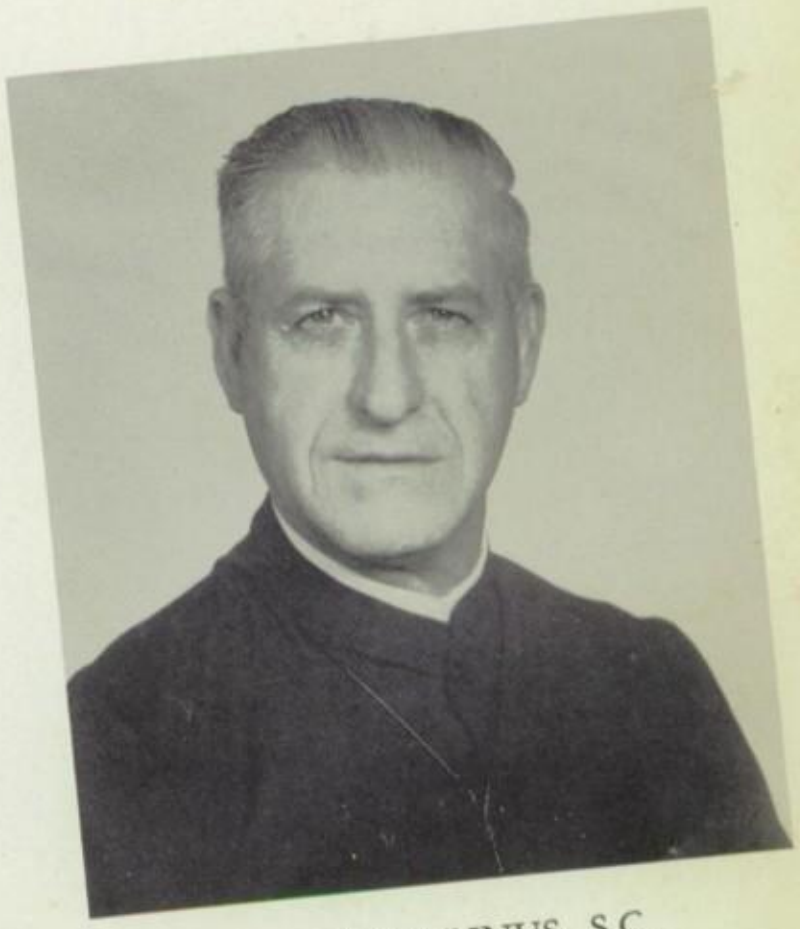
BROTHER MAXIMIN, S.C.

Ph.B., Loyola University; Assistant Principal; Religion, Algebra, Latin, Plane Geometry, Key Club Moderator, Supervisor of Wardrobe for Boarding Students.



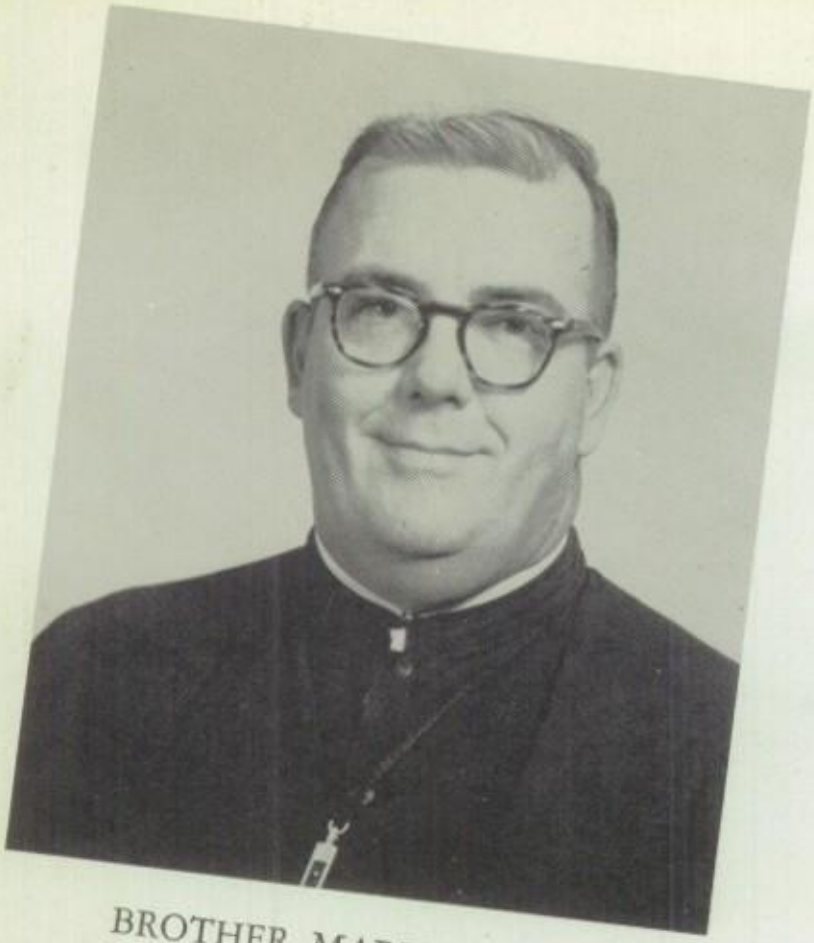
BROTHER CLEMENT, S.C.

Ph.D., Fordham; Moral Guidance, Algebra, English.



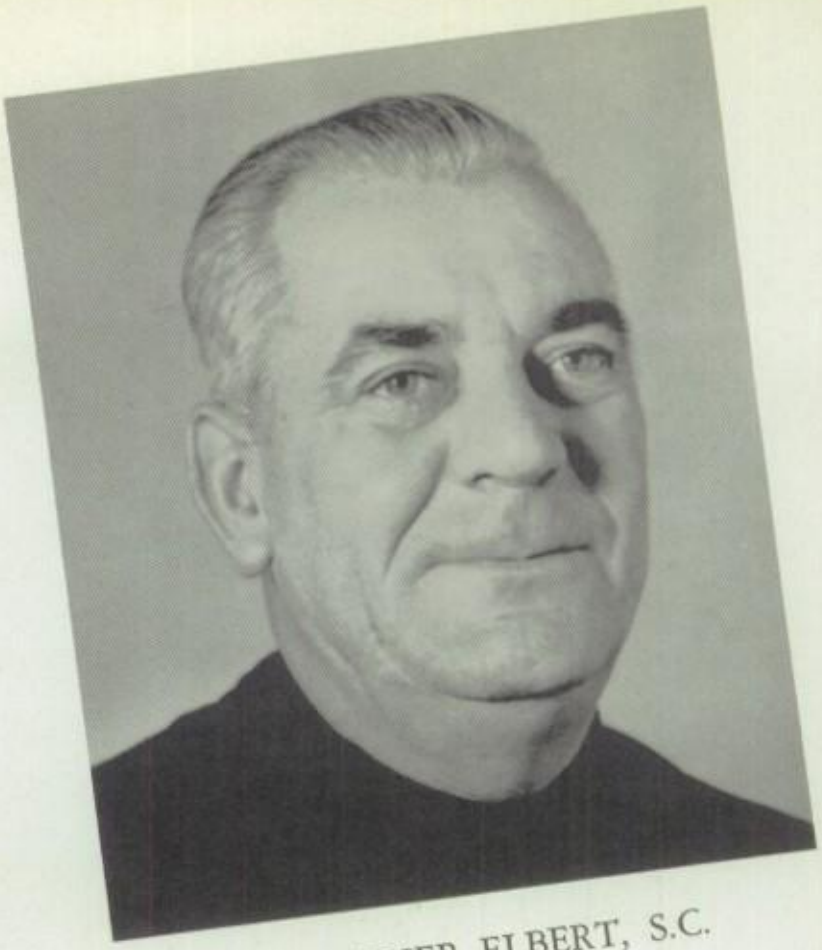
BROTHER LINUS, S.C.

M.Ed., Louisiana State University; Moral Guidance, Algebra, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, School Canteen.



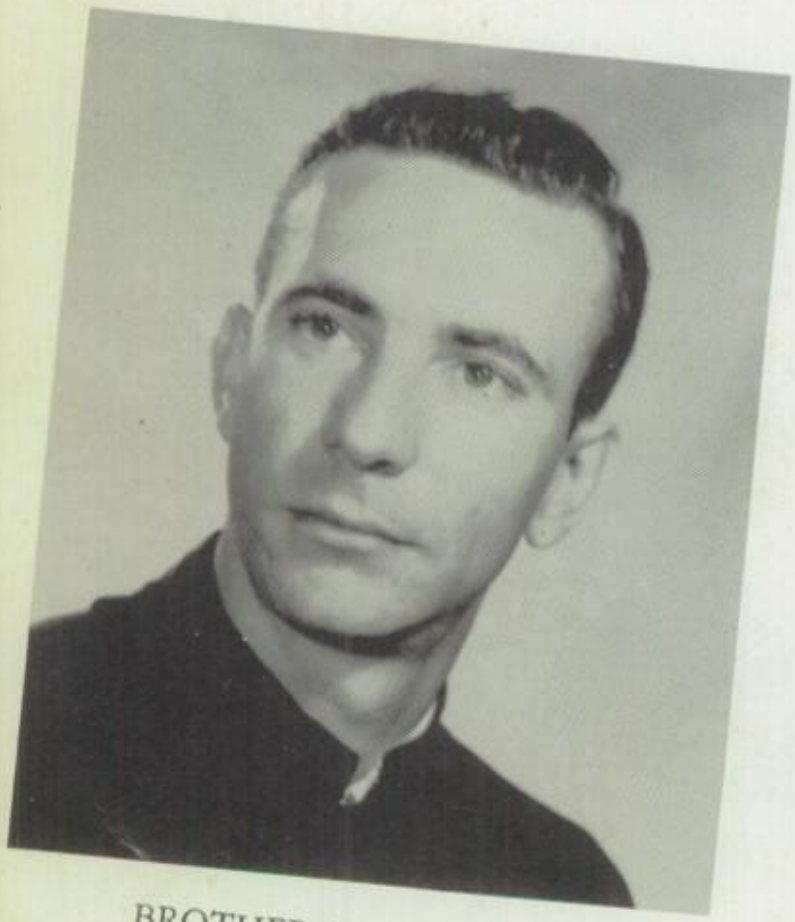
BROTHER MARION, S.C.

B.S., Springhill College; Religion, Bookkeeping, French, Typing, Military, Major Commandant C.A.P., Registrar.



BROTHER ELBERT, S.C.

M.Ed., Louisiana State University; Religion, General Science, Chemistry, Sacristan, Confraternity Moderator.

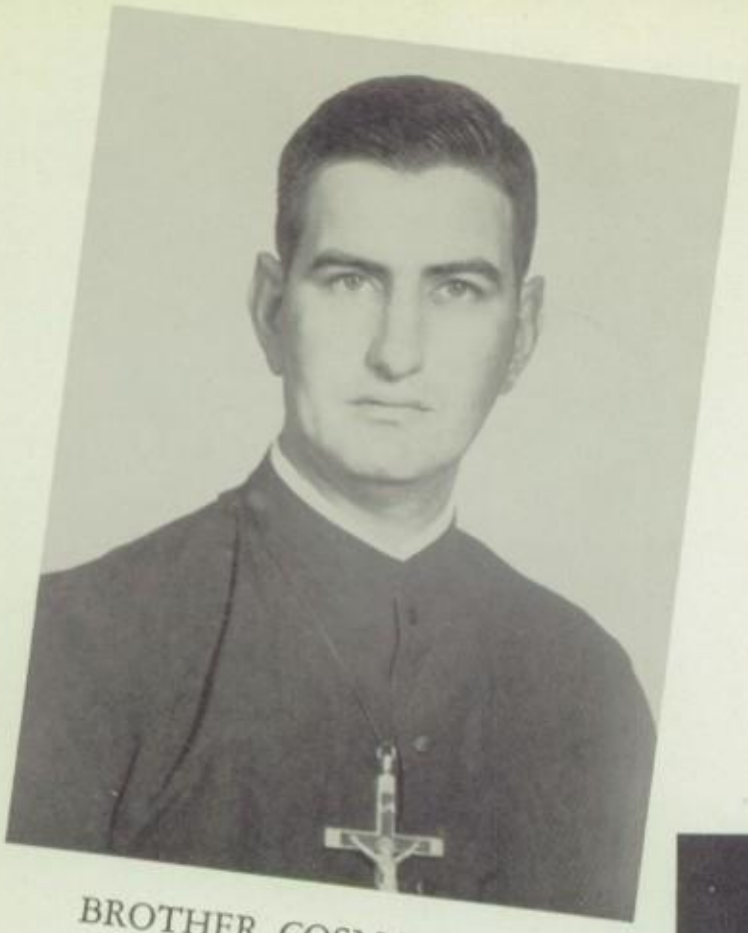


BROTHER ROGER, S.C.

B.S., Springhill College; Religion, General Science, Chemistry, Sacristan, Confraternity Moderator, Junior Team Coach for Football and Basketball.

BROTHER ALVIN, S.C.

M.Ed., Louisiana State University; Religion, English, World History, Sociology, Speech, Librarian, Confraternity Moderator, Menardian Advisor.

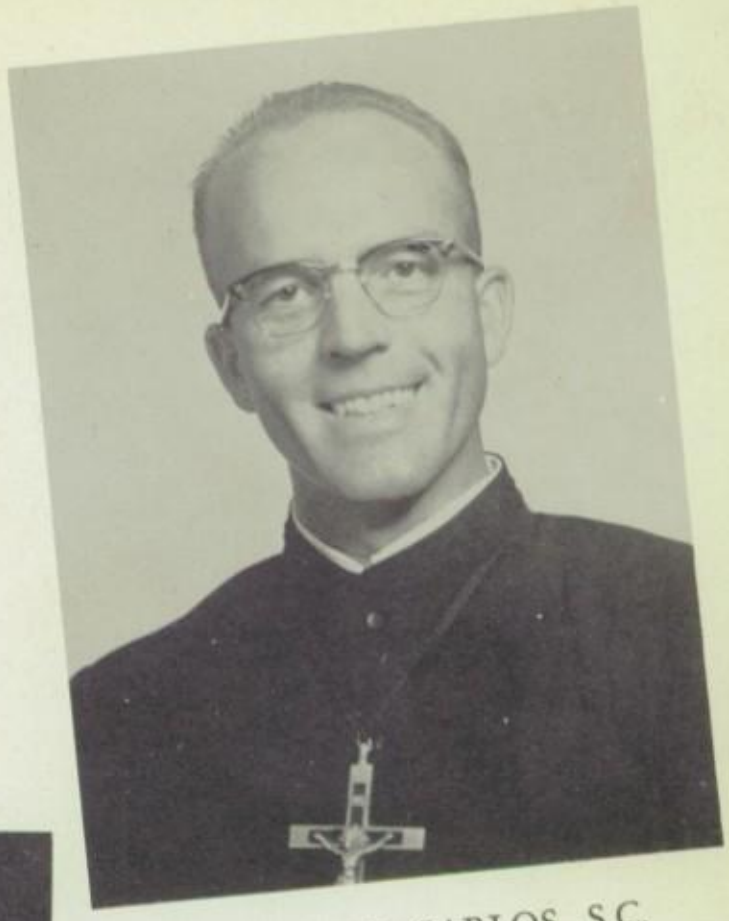


BROTHER COSMAS, S.C.

B.S., Springhill College; Religion, English, Civics, Economic Geography, Athletic Director, Junior Team Coach for Football and Basketball.

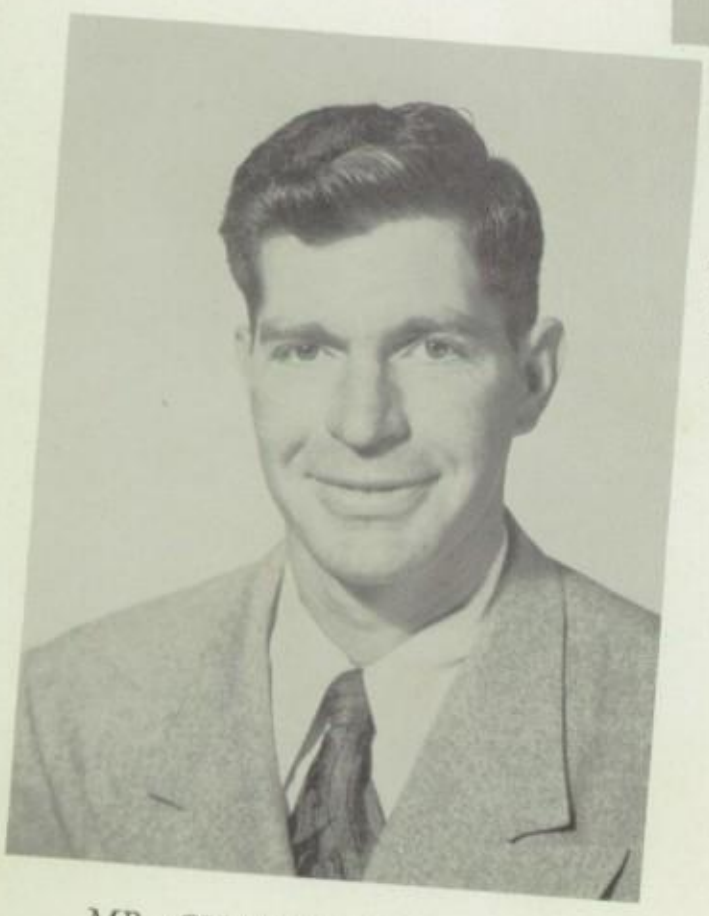
MRS. EMILY FORET

Dietician Louisiana State University, Member of American School Food Association, Cafeteria.



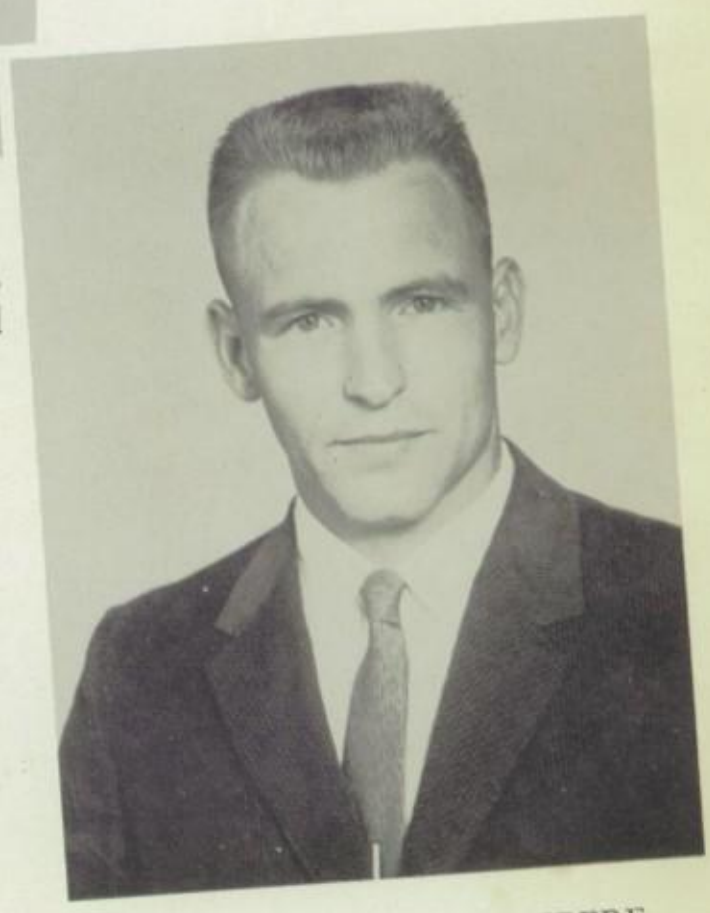
BROTHER CARLOS, S.C.

B.S., Fordham; Prefect of Boarding Students, Cafeteria.



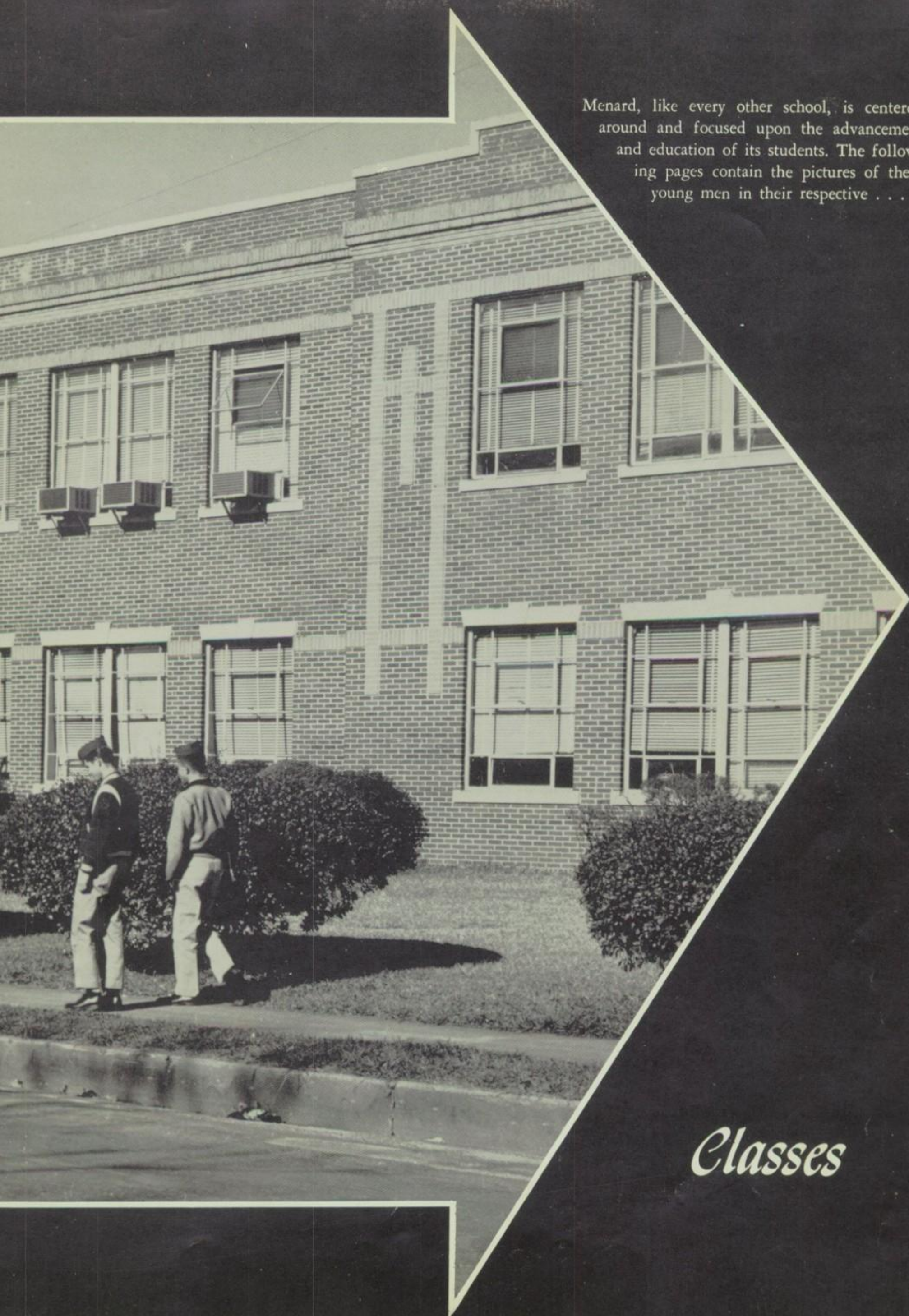
MR. CHARLES CROUCH

M.S., University of Arkansas; World History, American History, Driver Education, Head Football and Track Coach.



MR. GERALD LAVESPERE

B.S., Louisiana Tech; General Business, General Math, Senior Arithmetic, Driver Education, Assistant Football Coach, Head Basketball and Baseball Coach.



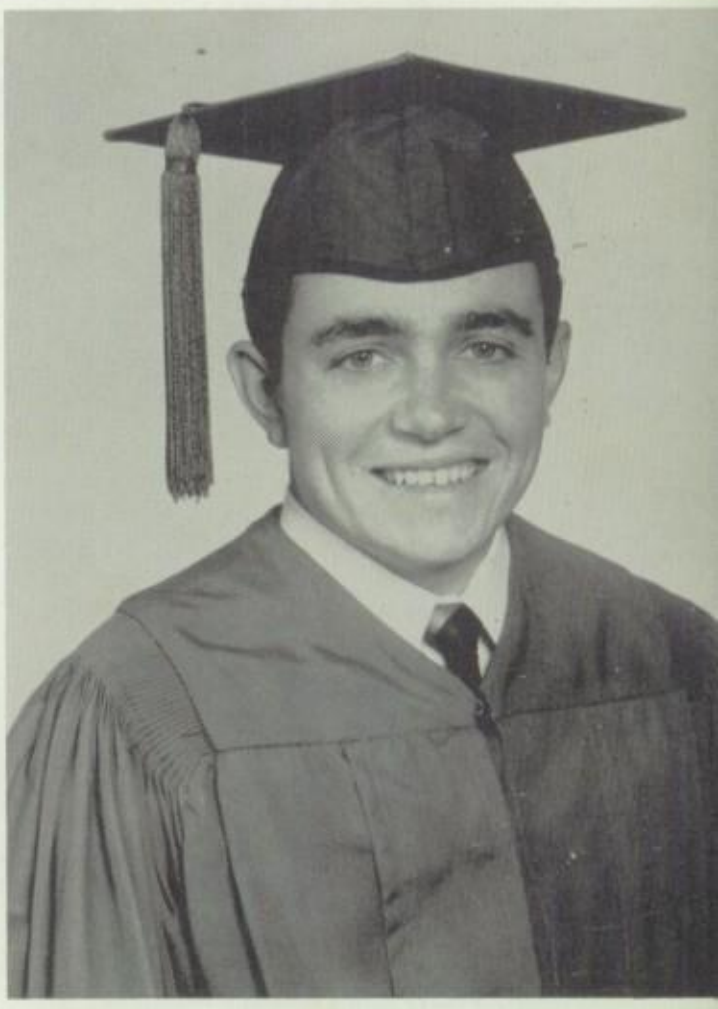
Menard, like every other school, is centered around and focused upon the advancement and education of its students. The following pages contain the pictures of these young men in their respective . . .

Classes

Felix Benas Angeles—"Kat"

Here is a fellow who just joined our class, who wants to help no matter what the task.

Rifle Club 59; CAP 59; Boarder 59.



Wesley Hilton Ardoin—"Cookie"

The future is purchased by the present.

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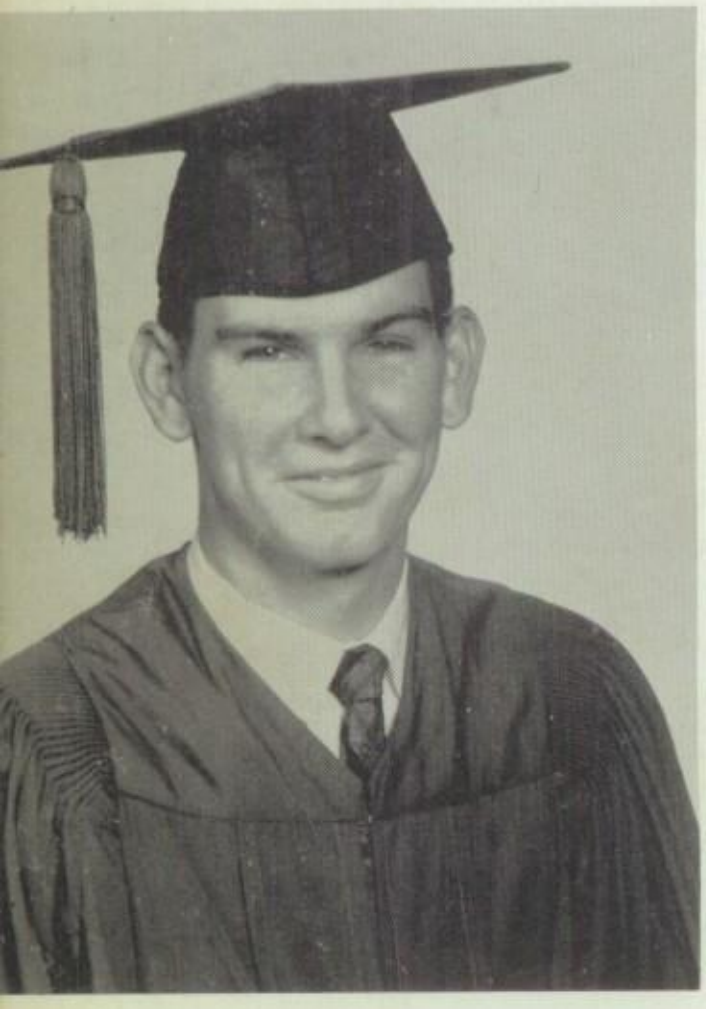
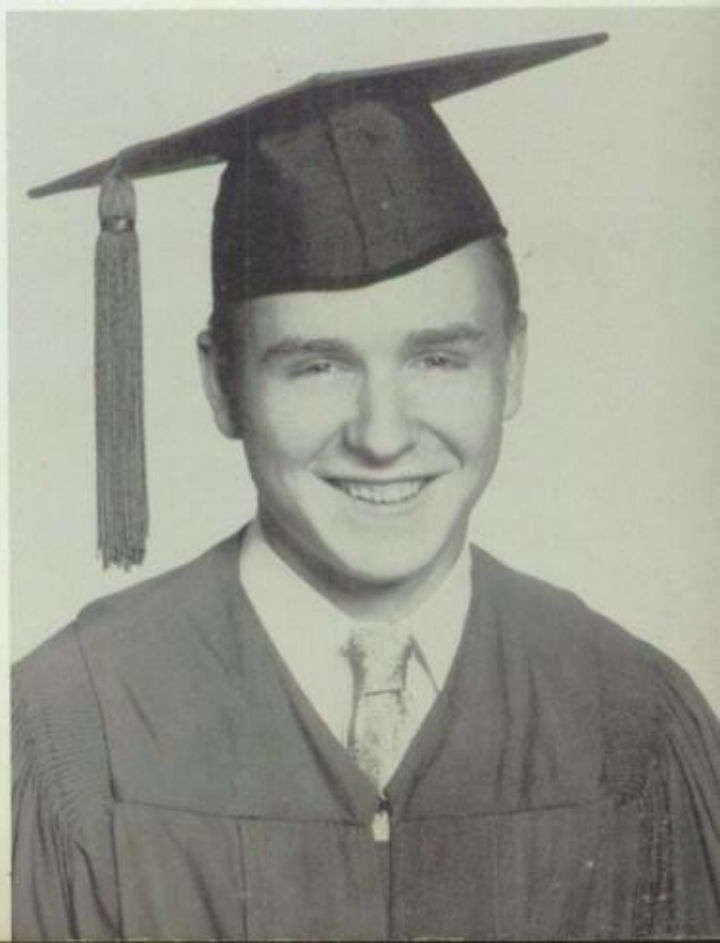


Jackie Raymond Barnidge—"Barney"

Although Barney's tall, he's quiet, but in the class, he's a riot.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59, Secretary-Treasurer 58, President 59; Rifle Club 57, 58; Perfect Attendance 56, 57; Drill Team 56, 57; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Second Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58; Football 59; Track 58; Boys' State 58; Key Club District Convention 57, 59; State Regional, National Drill Competition 57.



James Raymond Bell

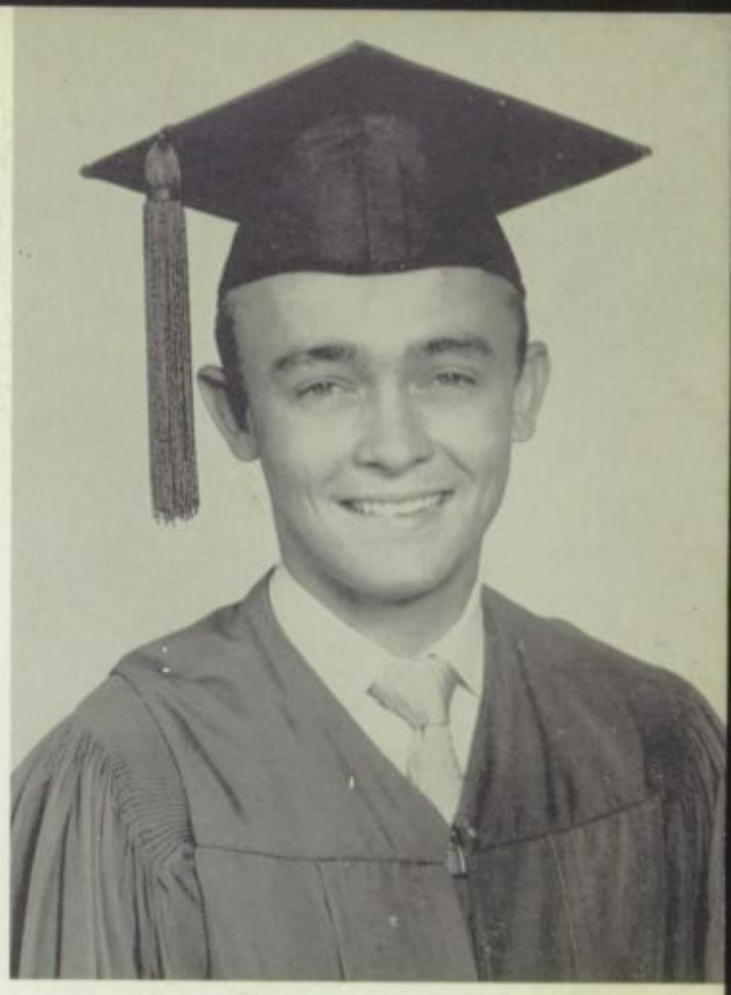
Well timed silence has more eloquence than speech.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Yearbook Staff 59.

Lester Philip Berniard—"Pete" (DieP 4-97)

No one knows what he can do till he tries.

Class Treasurer 56; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 56, 57; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; First Lieutenant Cadet Corps 59; CAP Certificate of Proficiency 58; CAP Encampment 57; Boarder 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 58, 59; Track 57, 58; Third Place 180 yard Low Hurdles 57; CAP Staff 59; Yearbook Staff 59; First Place Teenage Drivers Road-E-O.



David Miller Blalock—"Dave"

Advice is a supply on the market; the supply always exceeds the demand.

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Philip Carlino

By trying we can easily learn to endure hardships—another man's.

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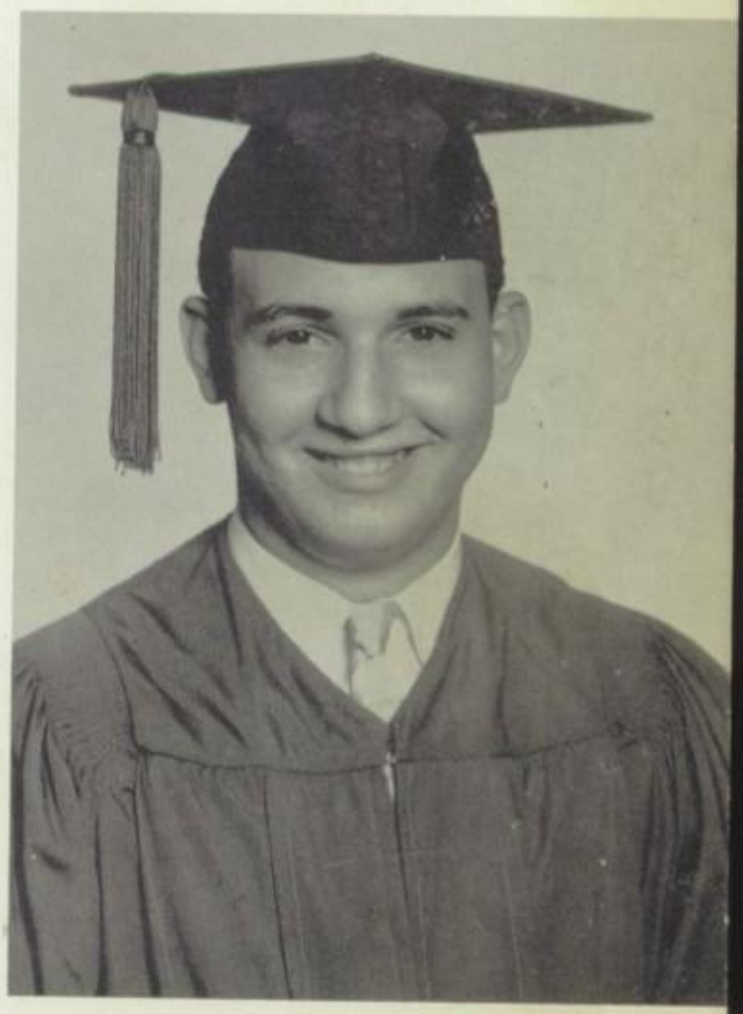
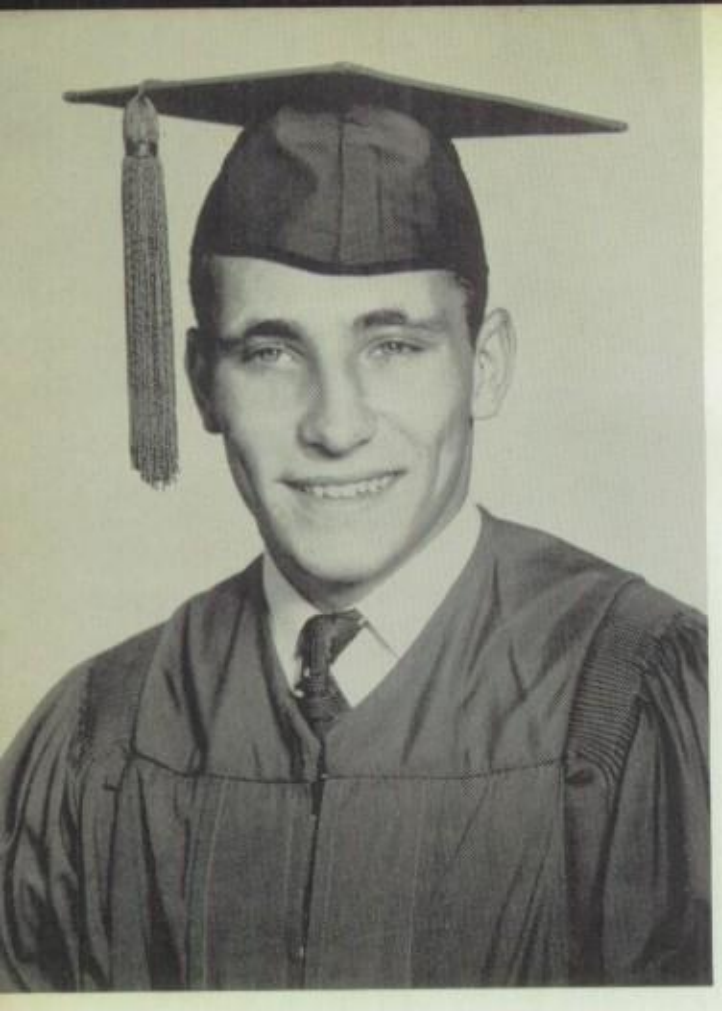


James Carl Carson—"Kit"

Sometimes I sit and think, most of the time I just sit.

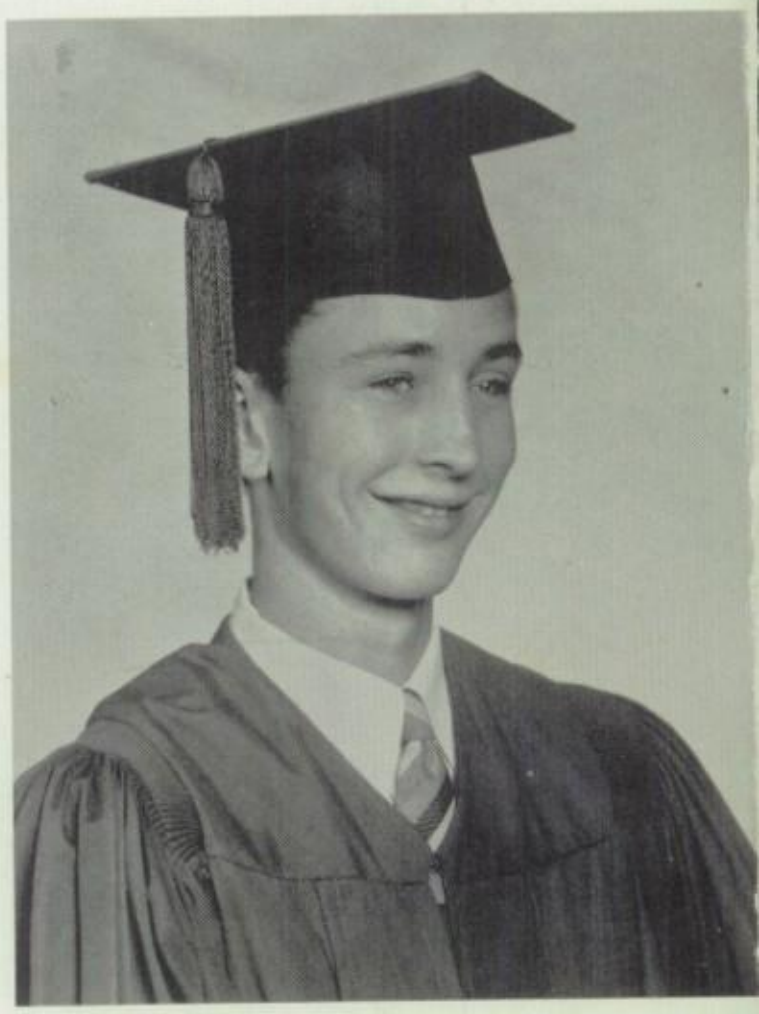
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56.



Ernest LeJeune Chenevert—"Ernie"

Every inch a good fellow, and oh, so many inches.

Class President 58, 59; Confraternity 58, 59; Football 57, 58, 59; Basketball 57, 58, 59; Track 57, 58, 59; Second Place 440 yard Dash 56; Second Place Hop Step Jump 57; Third Place 440 yard Relay 56; All-District Football 57; All-Twin City 57, 58; All-State Second Team 57; Second Team All-District Basketball 57; KALB Basketball Team 57; Best Lineman 57; Most Valuable Basketball Player 57; All-State First Team Football 58.



Larry Rawlings Clement—"Clem"

I may not be handsome, but I declare I have a distinguished look.

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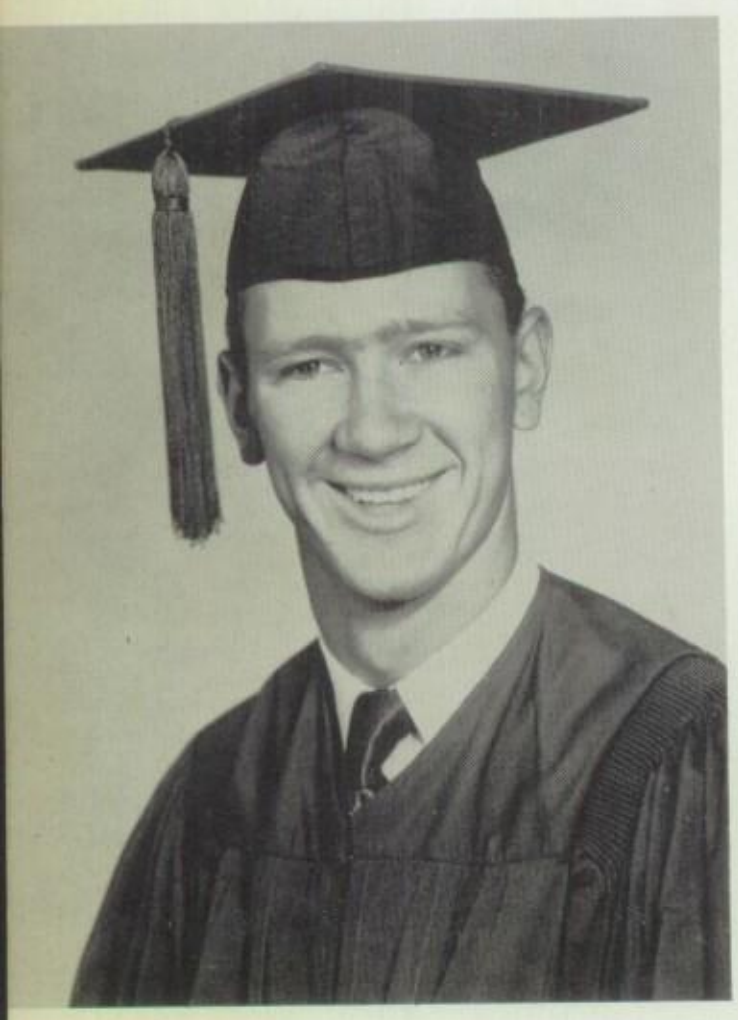


Jesse Homer Crouch—"Buddy"

Don't say all you know, but know all you say.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; Cafeteria Worker 56, 57, 58; Football 57, 58, 59; Track 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention 56; Class Secretary 57; Yearbook Staff 59.

John Ellington David Jr.

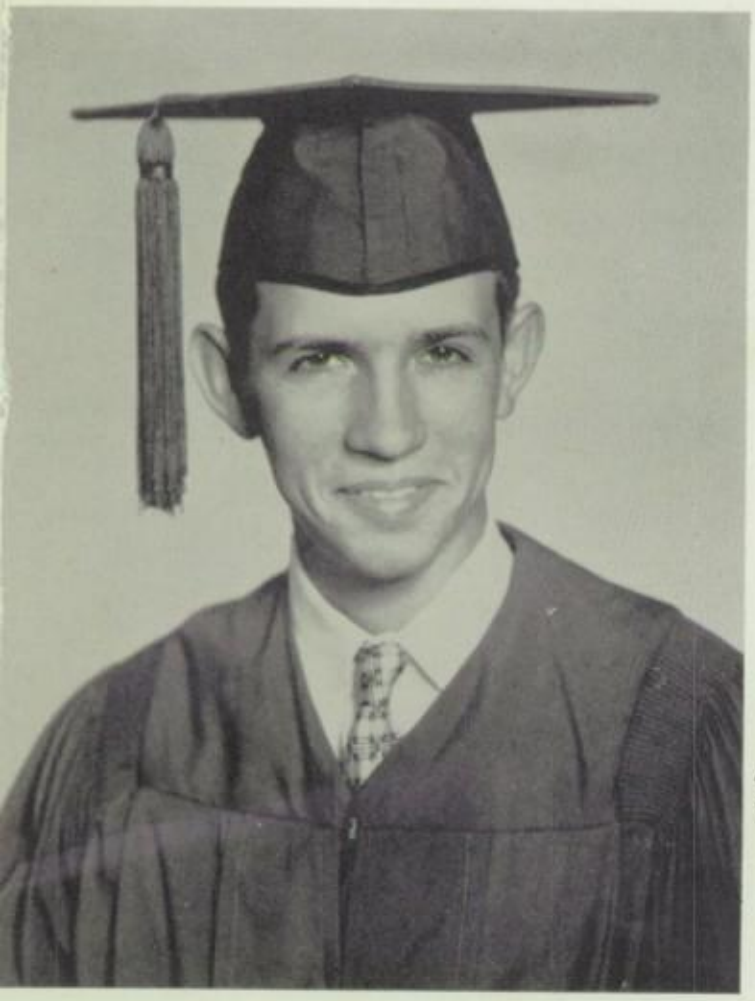
A little learning is a dangerous thing.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 59; Band 56, 57; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59.

James Davidson —"Gym"

Although he isn't very tall, he loves to play basketball.

Class Treasurer 57; Class Vice President 58; Class Secretary 59; Perfect Attendance 57; Honor Student 58; Football 58, 59; Basketball 57, 58, 59; Track 58.



James Louis Dekeyzer—"Jim"

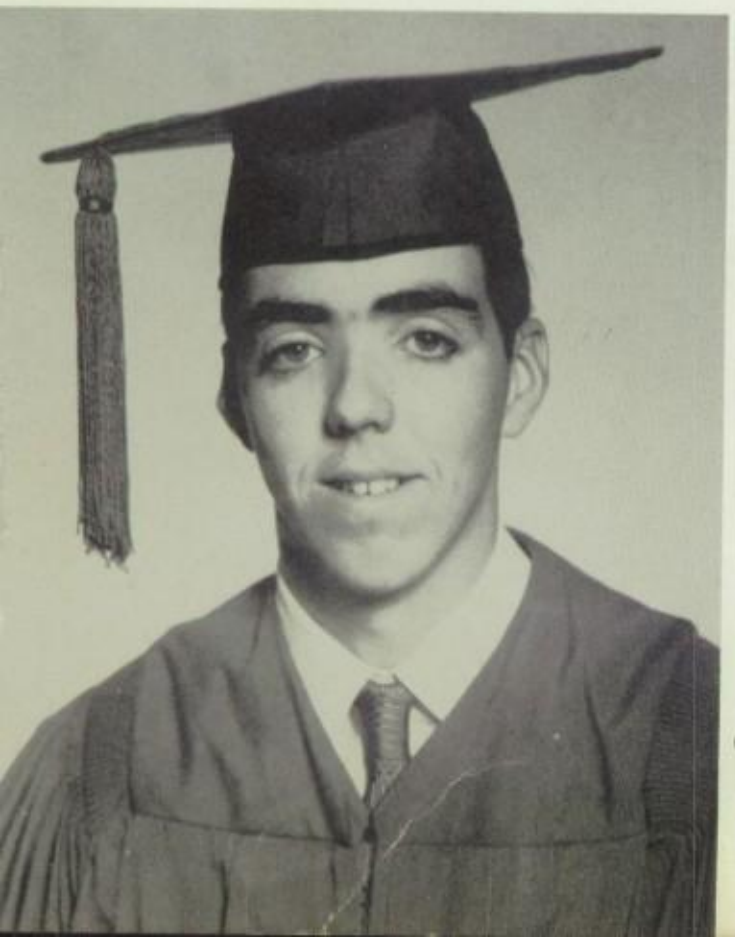
A working member of our class, who does his part in all we ask.

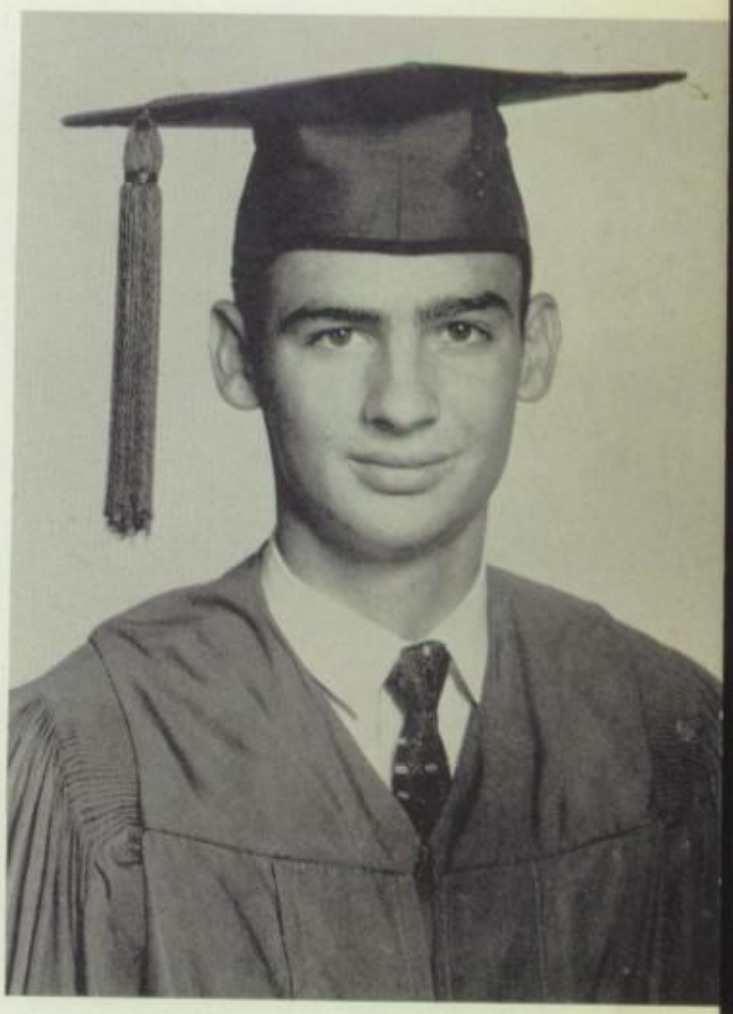
4-H Club 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 56; Honor Student 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Won trip to 4-H Club Congress in Chicago 59.

Robert Paul Descant—"Des"

Nobody can give you better advice than yourself.

Perfect Attendance 56; Honor Student 56, 59; Track 57, 58, 59.





Jack Werta Duplissey

Bashful, sensitive, good and kind, a guy like him is hard to find.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; French Medal 56, 57.

Charles Brandon Ewing—"Bozo"

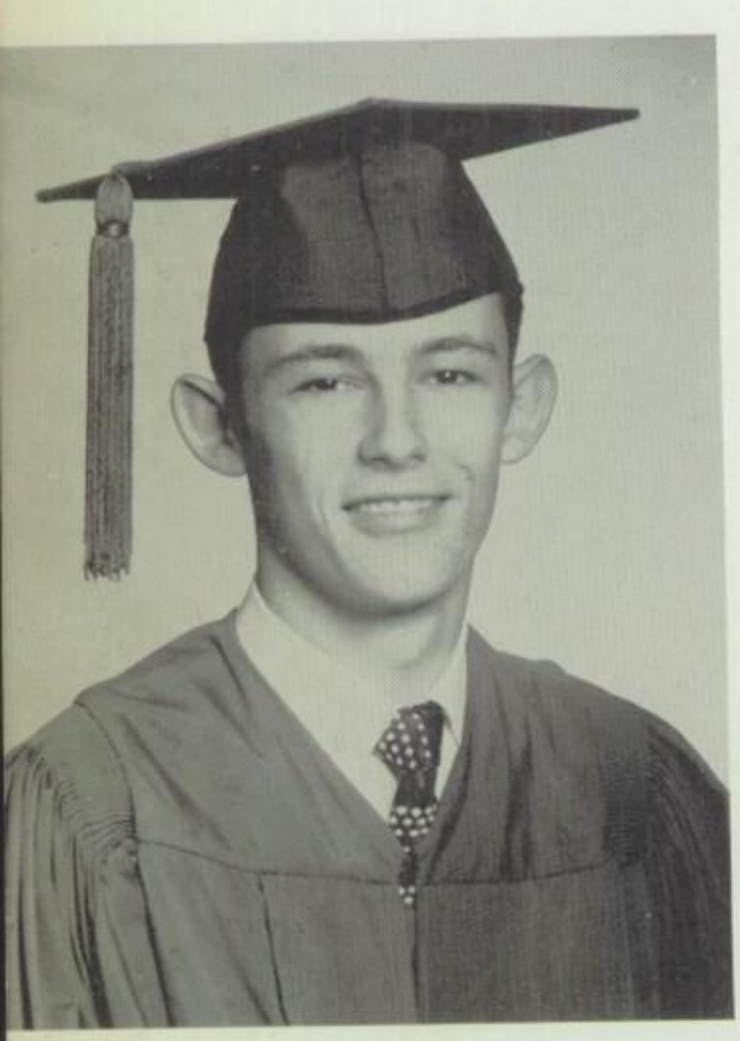
Acquaintance; a person whom we know well enough to borrow from, but not well enough to lend to.

Track 57; Yearbook Staff 59.

Stephen Weil Freiman—"Steveoreno"

Consider the postage stamp; its usefulness consists in the ability to stick to one thing till it gets there.

Key Club 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 56, 57, 58, 59; Drill Team 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; First Lieutenant Cadet Corps 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club District Convention 58, 59; International Convention 57, 58, 59; Most Active Key Clubber 58; Medals: Algebra and Civic 56, World History 57; English 58; State Drill Competition 57, 58, 59; National Competition 57.



David Douglas Flournoy—"Flo"

Teachers and classrooms are his only objections to education.

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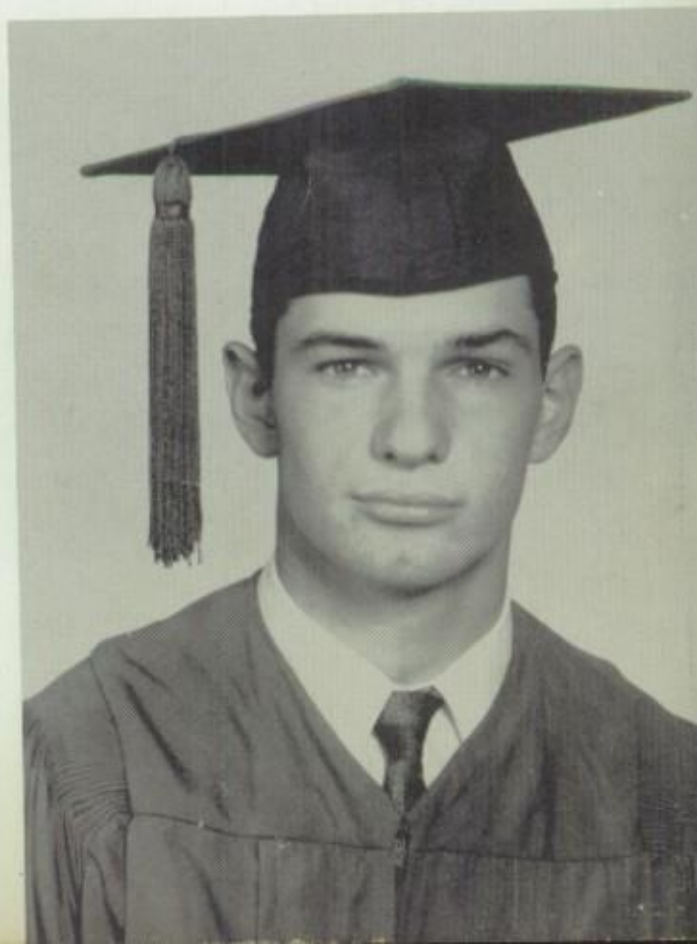


Darrel Paul Glankler—"D.P."

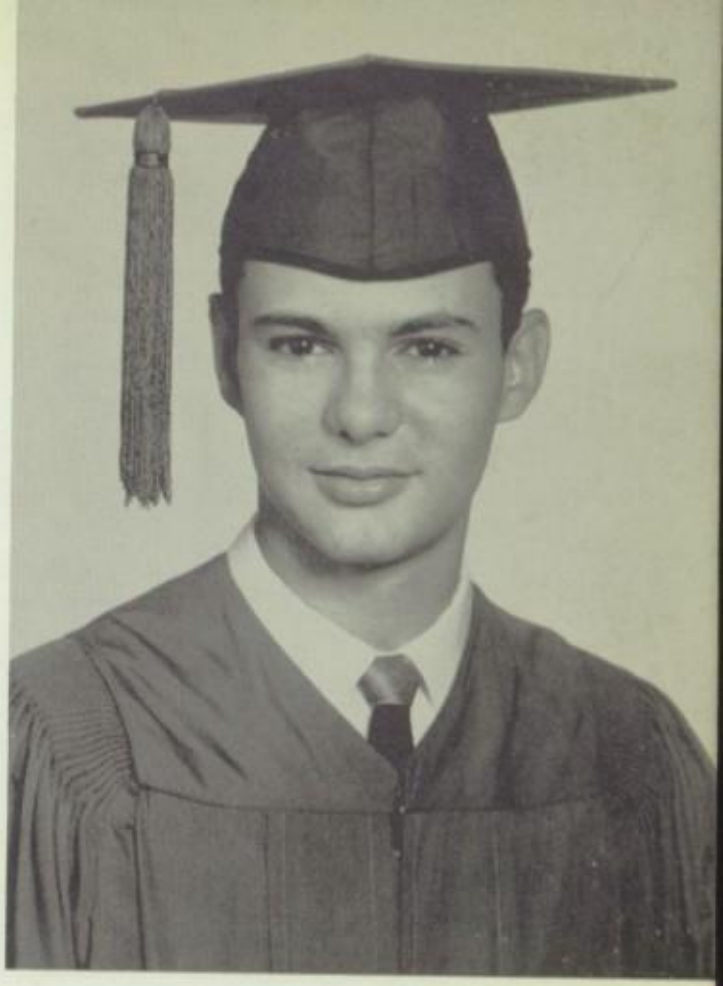
They think he's shy, he says he's sly.

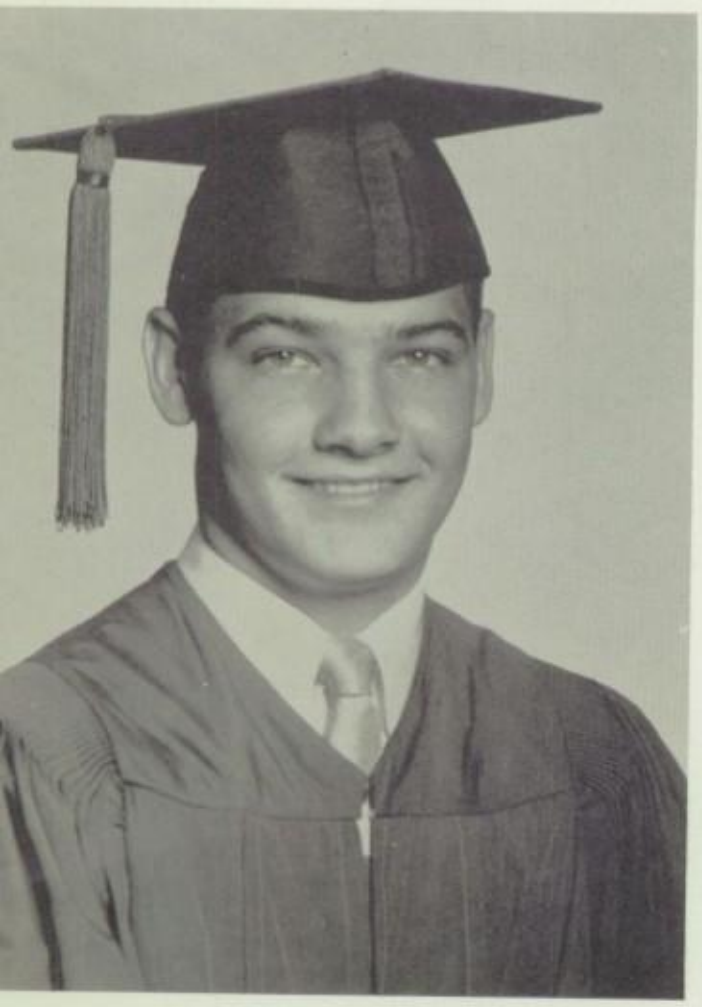
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59, President 56, 57, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59, Vice President 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 58; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 58, 59; Track 58; Medals: English 56, Latin I 56, Latin II 57, Physics 58; Boys' State 58; Sodality Convention 56, 57; National Catholic Youth Convention 56; President, Menard-Providence Coordinate Council 59; District Key Club Convention 57, 59; Yearbook Staff 59; Algebra Medal 58.

Joseph Thomas Glorioso

To live long, it is necessary to live slowly.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 59; Perfect Attendance 58; Honor Student 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Class Treasurer 56.





Thomas Richard Guraedy—"Lightning"

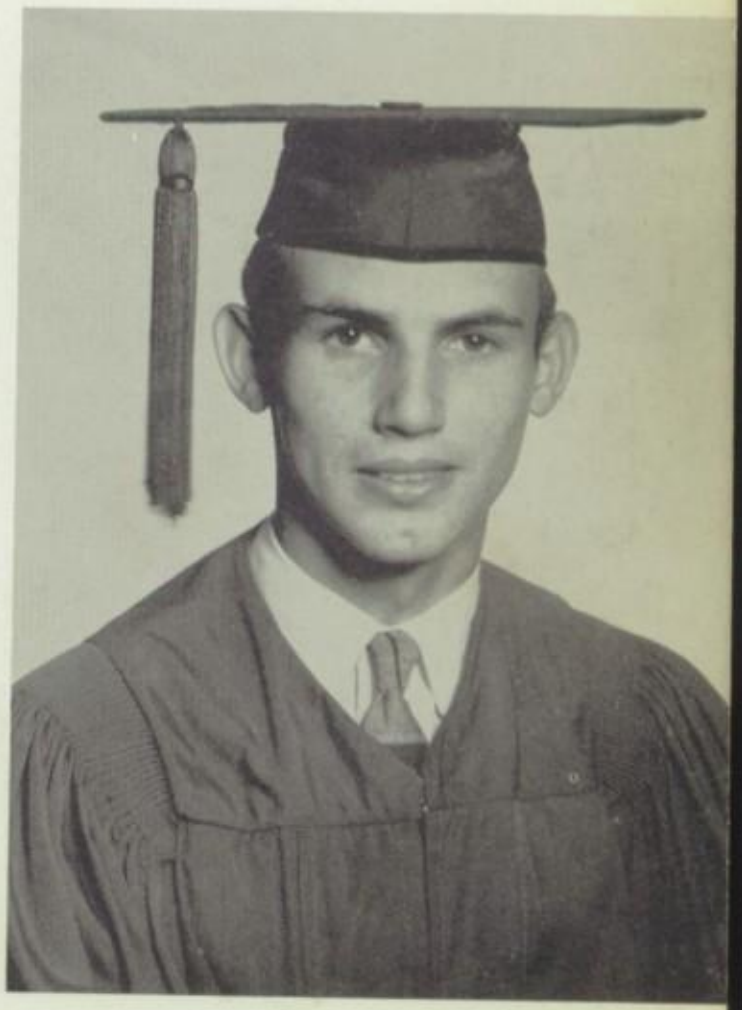
Come what may, he's the same good sport every day.

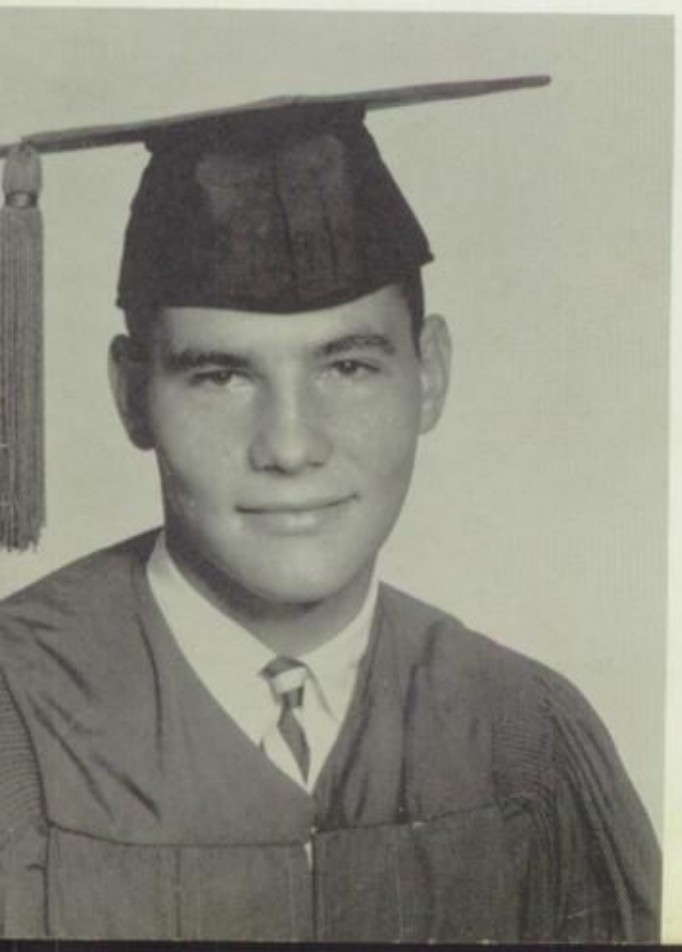
Class Treasurer 57; Key Club 58, 59; Rifle Club 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Second Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58; CAP Encampment 57, 58; Football 58, 59; Track 56, 57; Sociology Medal 58; Yearbook Staff 59.

James Clement LaFleur Jr.

Reading maketh a full man.

CAP 57, 58, 59; CAP Encampment 57, 58; Boarder 57, 58, 59; Track 58, 59; Librarian 58, 59.

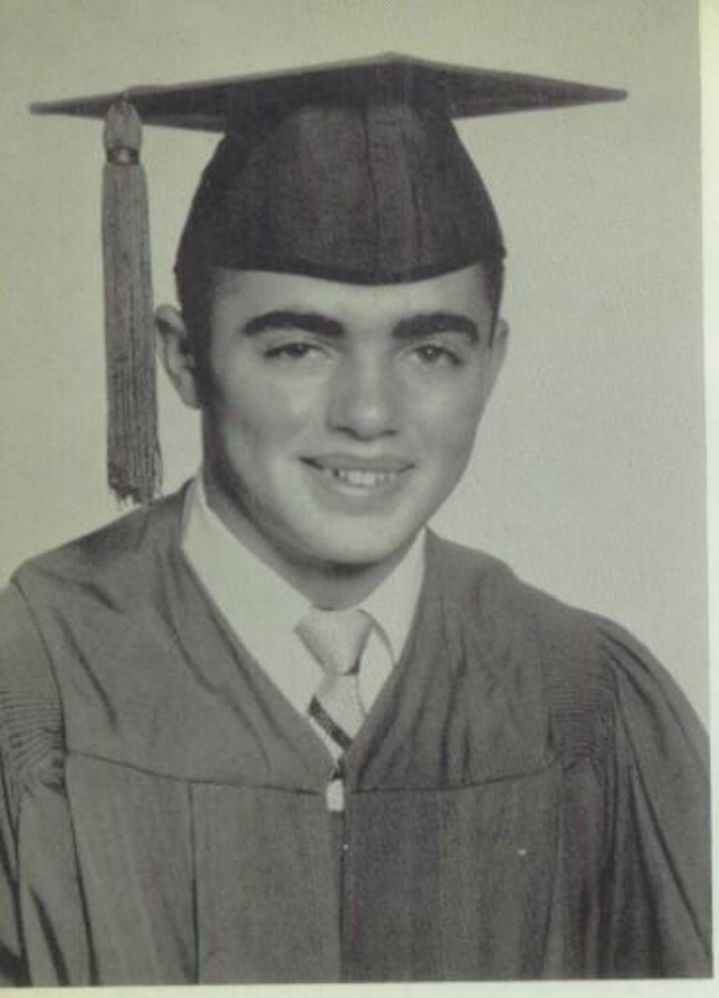




John Gilbert Lauve—"Gil"

I'm not lazy, I just believe in taking life easy.

Class Secretary 56, 57; Treasurer 58, 59; Key Club 57; 4-H 56; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Second Lieutenant Cadet Corps 57, 58; Football 59; Basketball 57, 58, 59; Baseball 56, 57, 58, 59; Boys' State 58; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention 58; Handball Champ 57.



Clifford Lyons Lawrence—"El Toro"

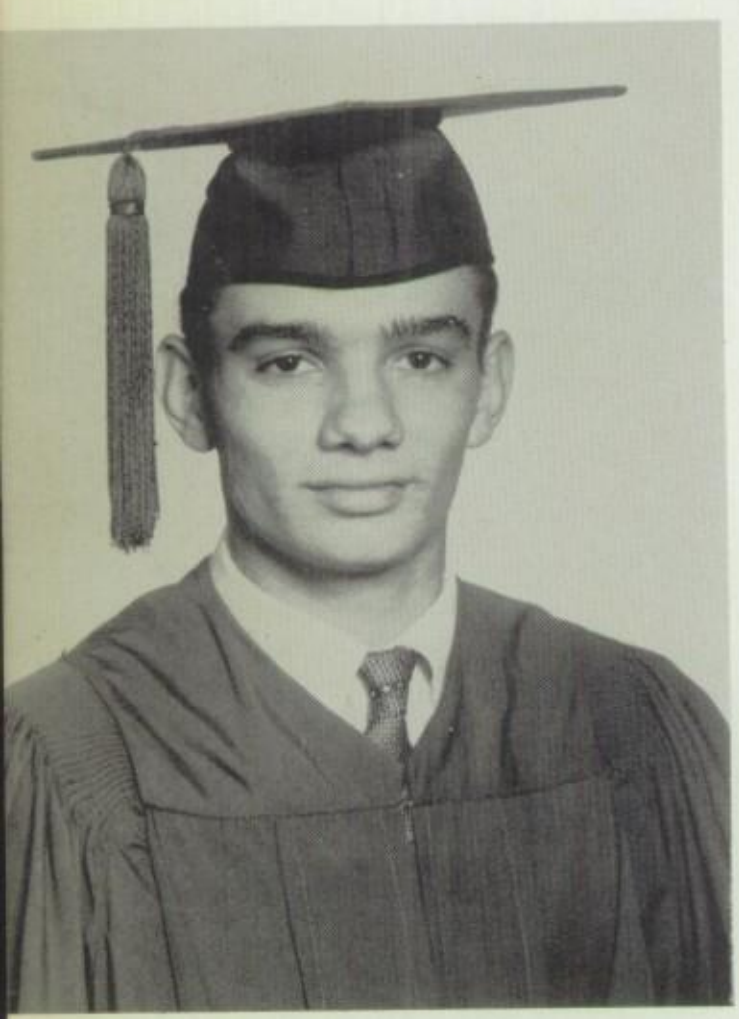
All great men are dead, and I don't feel too well myself.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 57, 58; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 58; Basketball 59; Track 58; Boys' State 58; Attorney Trophy 58; Civics Medal 56; Third Place Mile Relay 58; Nominee for "Youth of Year" award 59.

John Alfred Lintott

A loyal companion, an excellent friend, an earnest worker, and true to the end.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 56; Honor Student 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Boarder 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 59; Track 59; Religion Medal 58.



Harry John Longwell—"H"

Always happy, always gay, that's Harry in every way.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 57, 58, 59; Track 56, 57; Basketball 58, 59.

Russ McInnis—"Mac"

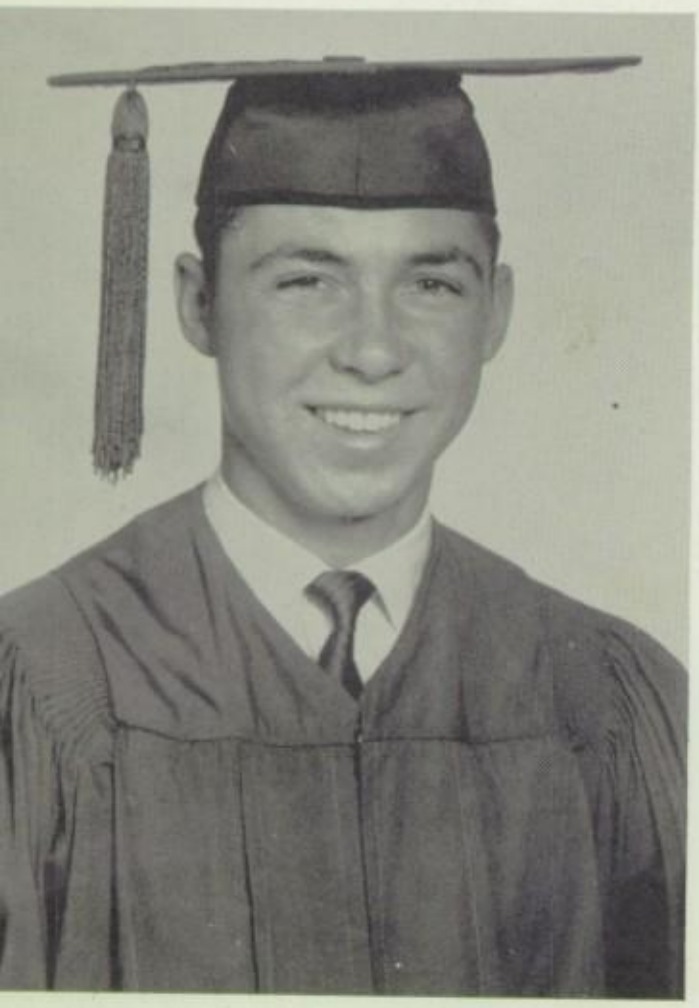
I like work; it fascinates me. I could sit down and watch it for hours.

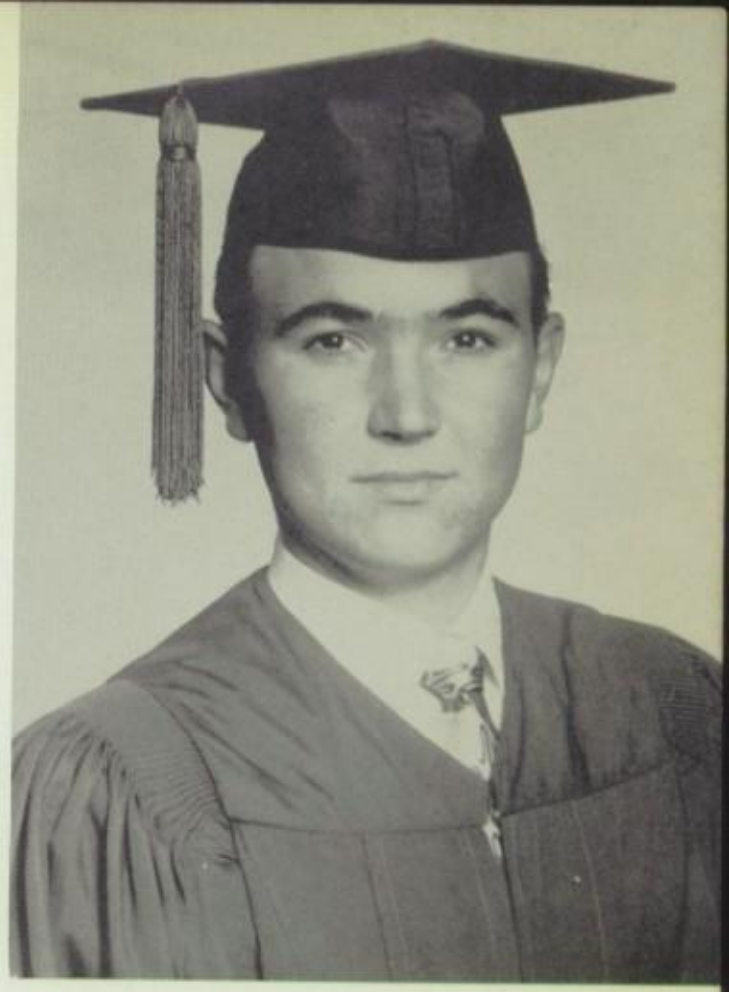
CAP 58, 59; Football 58.

Richard Lynn Mathews—"Country"

He who lives with little possesses everything.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Cafeteria Worker 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention 57.





Donald Lynn Mayeux

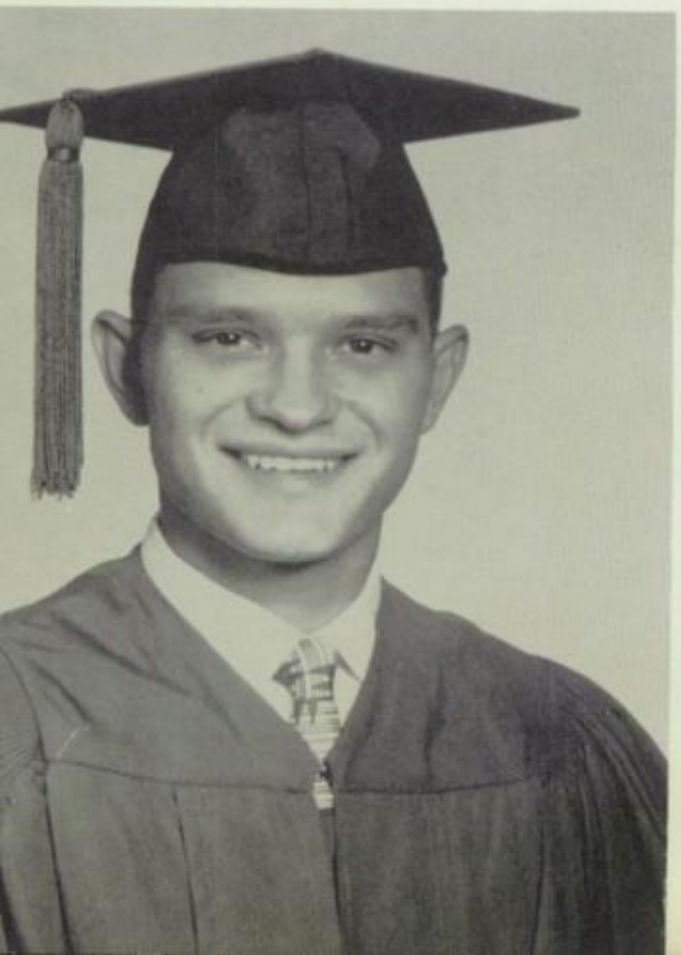
Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.

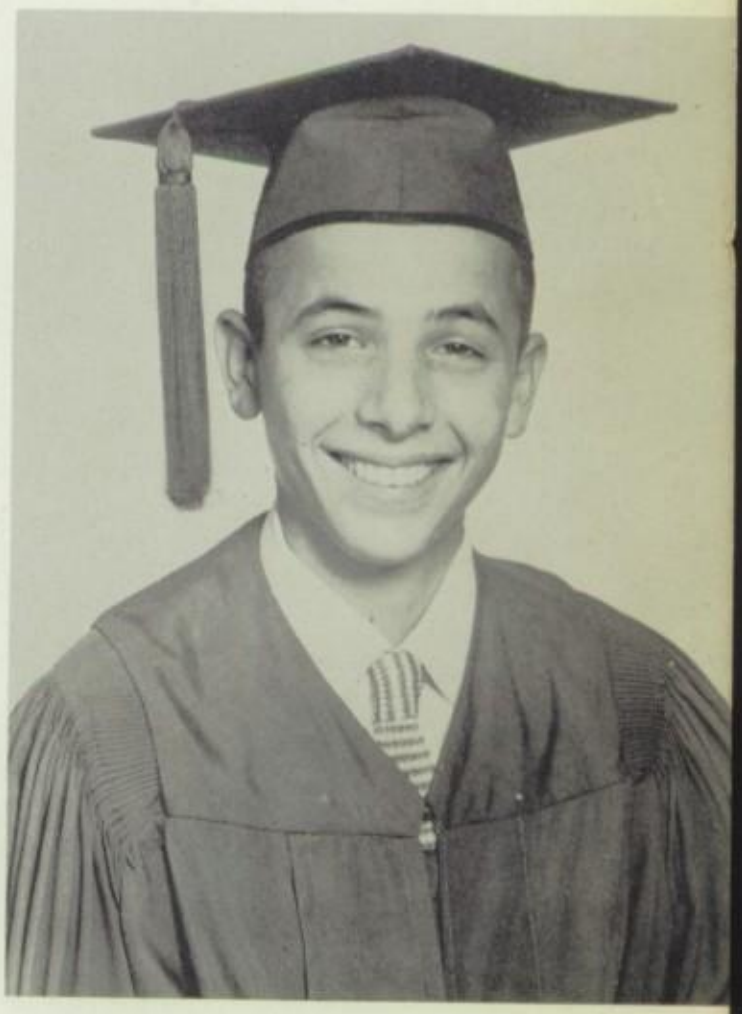
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Lieuteant Governor—Division II 58; Governor—Louisiana-Mississippi-West Tennessee District 59; Band 56; Rifle Club 56, 57, 58; Honor Student 56, 57; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Major Cadet Corps, Staff, Certificate of Proficiency 59; CAP Instructor 58; Encampment 57; 58; Boarder 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 58, 59; Track 58; Yearbook Staff 59; Outstanding Cadet 56; Expert M-1 Carbine Medal 58; Religion Medal 56; Speech 58; Attended Three District and Two Key Club International Conventions in Washington D.C. and Chicago.

Louis Victor Montelaro—"Lou-Gom"

Whenever I feel the urge to exercise coming on, I lie down until it passes over.

Class Treasurer 56; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 56, 57; Perfect Attendance 56, 58; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Second Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58, 59; CAP Encampment 57; Boarder 56, 57, 58, 59; Football Manager 59; Basketball Manager 59; Track Manager 58; Yearbook Staff 59.

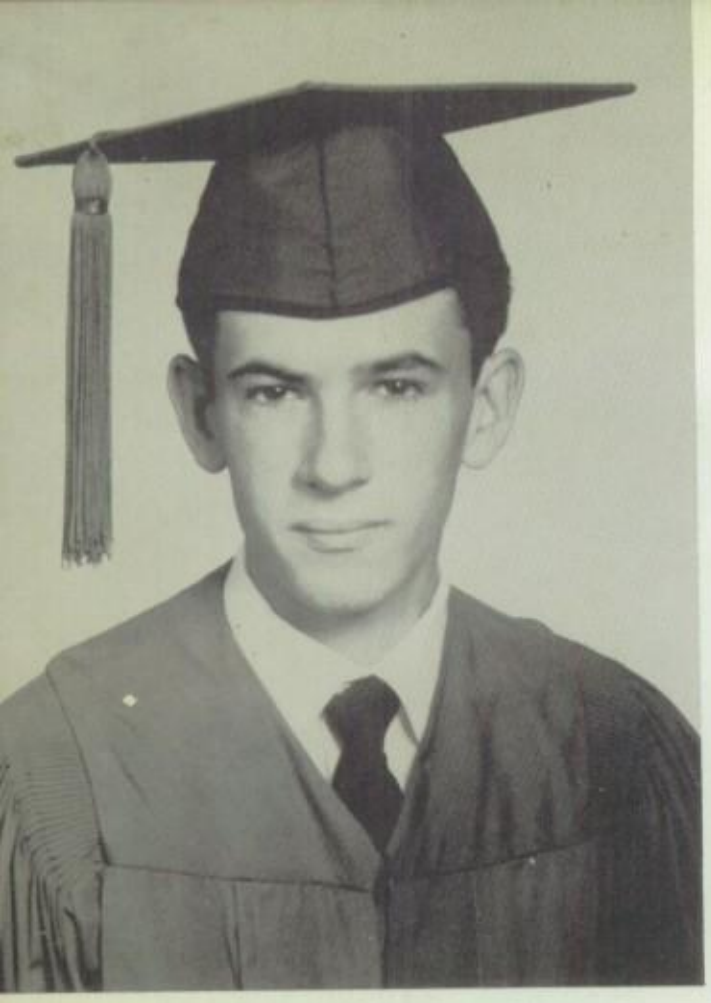




James Philip Morgan—"Morg"

Life is too short to worry.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 58; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention 58.



Clayton Jules Normand—"Guitar"

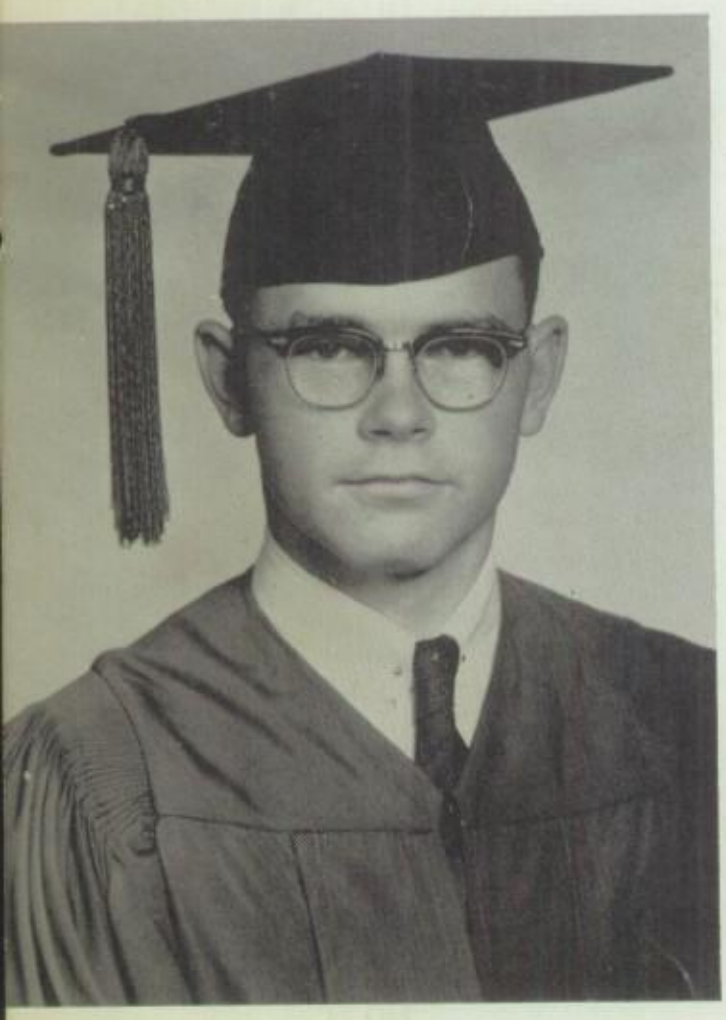
Let us do or die.

Class Secretary 57; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Hnor Student 56, 57, 58, 59; Drill Team 56, 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention in Shreveport 56; Science Medal 56; State, Regional Drill Competition 56, 57, 58; National Drill Competition 58.

Samuel Anthony Normand—"Sam"

Good things come in small packages.

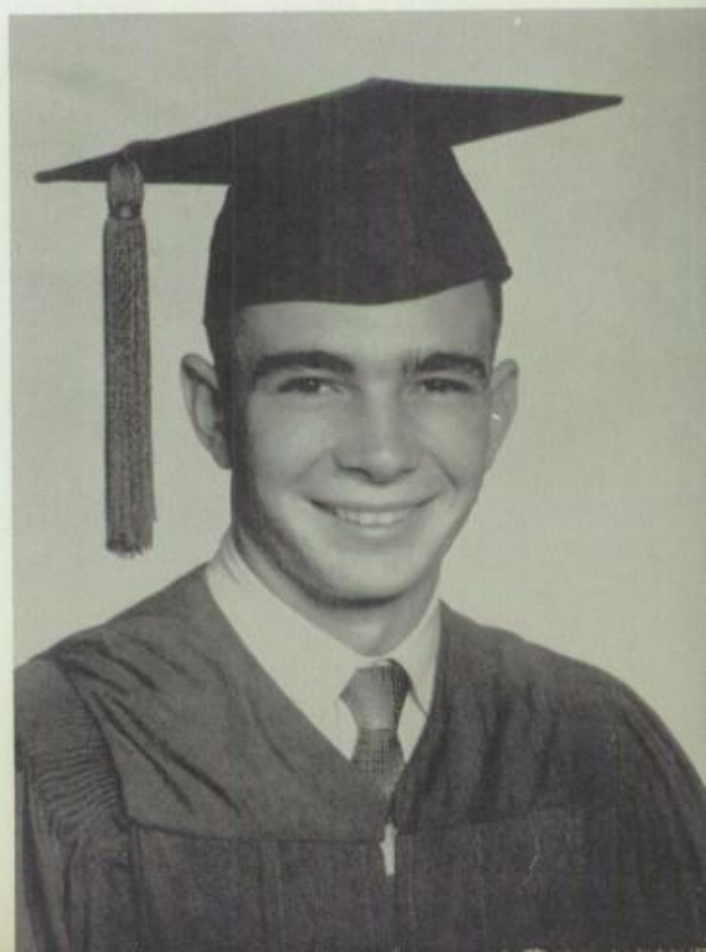
Class Treasurer 59; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 57; Honor Student 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 57; Football Manager 57, 58; Basketball Manager 57, 58; General Math Medal 58; Religion Medal 58.



Michael Paul O'Halloran—"Red"

A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 58; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Football 59; Track 58, 59; Speech, Third Place Optimist Club Contest 58; Confraternity Convention 58; Yearbook Staff 59.



James August Petrus—"Pete"

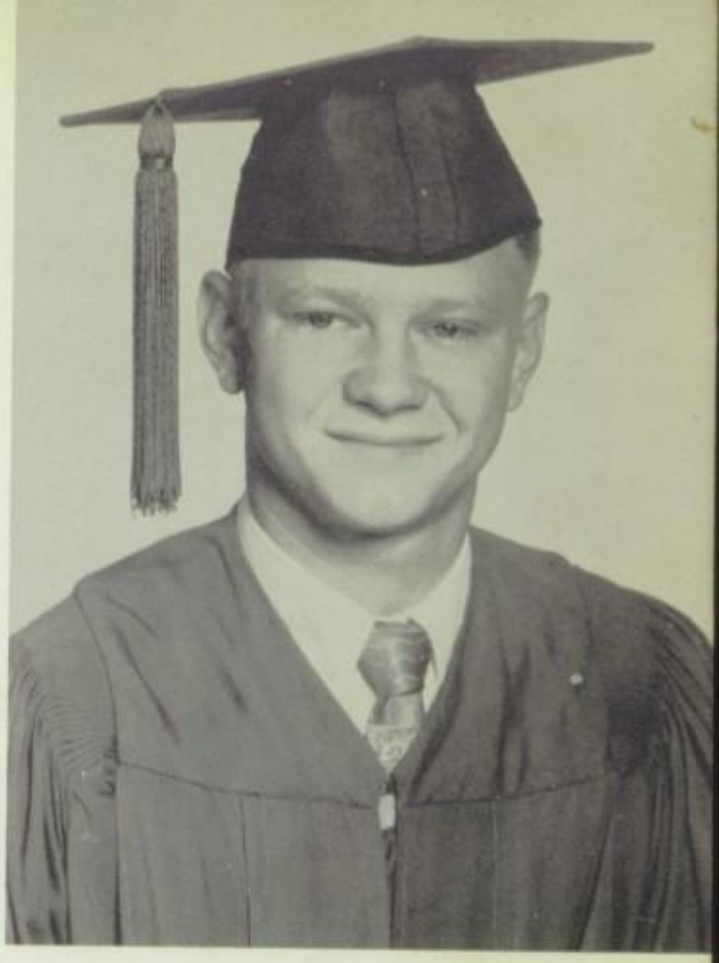
I'll do the difficult now; the impossible will take a little longer.

Class President 56; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Treasurer 57, 58; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Secretary-Treasurer 59; Band 56, 57; Honor Student 56, 57, 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 57, 58; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; First Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58; CAP Encampment 57; English III Medal 58; Key Club Convention 58.

James Elvin Phillips—"Admiral Dewey"

Be always as merry as you can, For no one delights in a sorrowful man.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 58; Rifle Club 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Track 58.



Weston Joel Porter—"Wes"

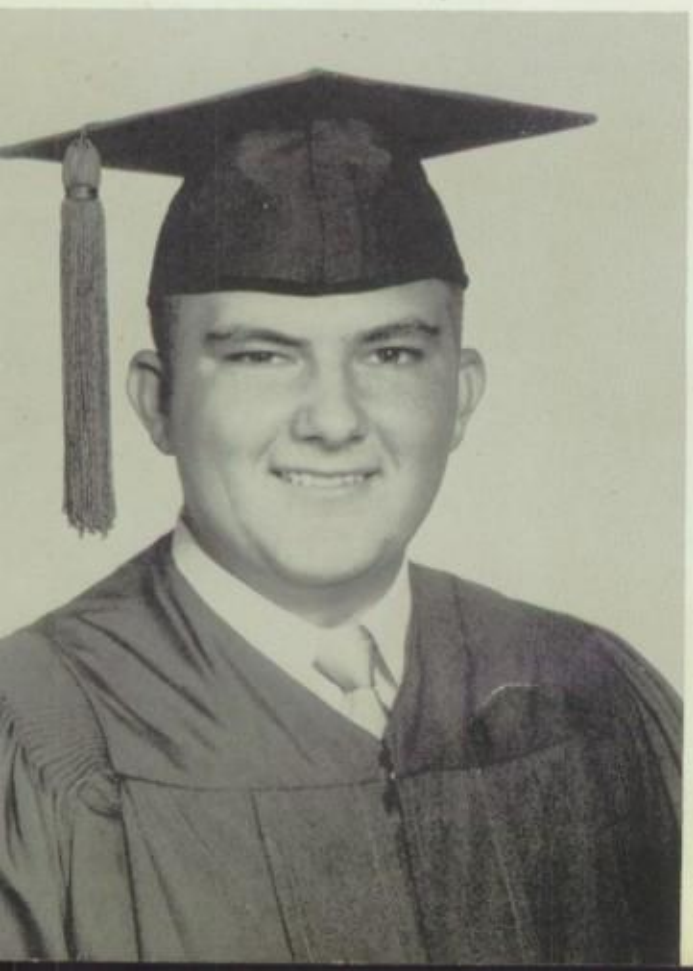
Full of cheer, full of pep, making friends with every step.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Confraternity Convention 58.

Kenneth David Powell—"Puffy"

A football hero, tall and true; he keeps the girls in a flutter too.

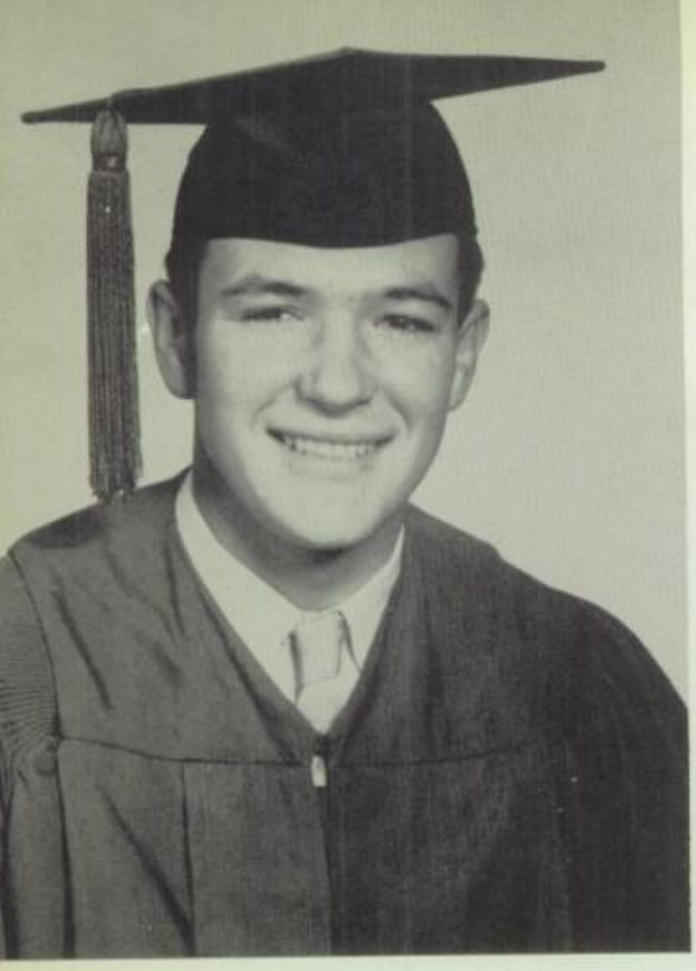
Class Vice President 58, 59; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Vice President 56, 57, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; First Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58, 59; Staff 59, Instructor 58, 59; Encampment 57; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Chief Observer 59; Marksmanship Medal 58; Perfect Attendance 57; Football 56, 57, 58; All-District 57, 58; Basketball 57, 58, 59; All-District 57, 58; Twin City All-Stars 58; Ideal Athlete Trophy 58; Rebounding Trophy 57; Track 56; 57, 58, 59; Most Valuable Player Trophy 58; Nine track medals; Outstanding CAP Cadet 58; Altar Boy 56, 57, 58, 59; Pelican Boys' State 58; Yearbook Staff 59.



James Joseph Roy—"Echo"

Genius is one per cent inspiration and ninety-nine per cent perspiration.

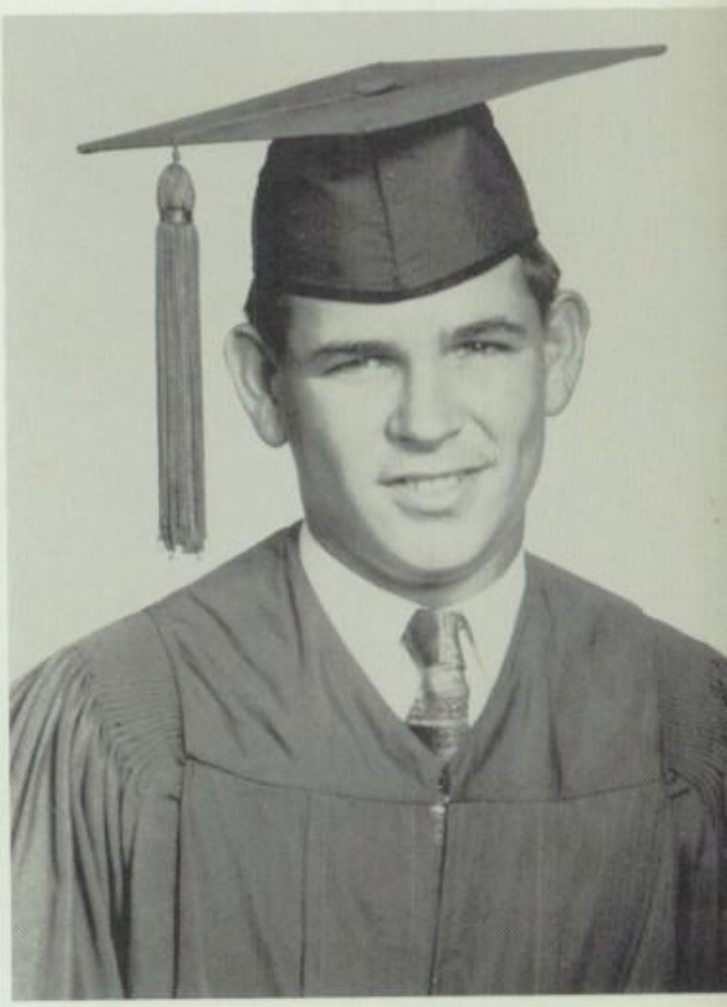
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 56, 57; Drill Team 57, 58, 59; State Champions 57, 58; Regional Champions 57; National Drill Competition 57; Second Lieutenant Cadet Corps 59.



Robert Allen Russell—"Bob"

If at first you don't succeed, oh well, skip it.

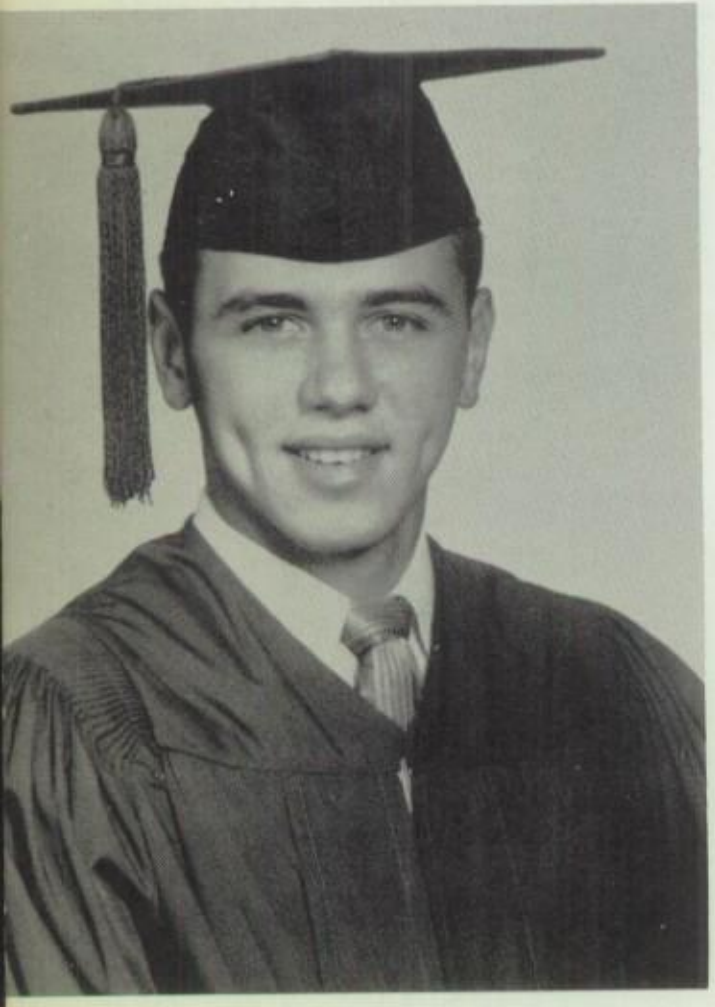
Rifle Club 59; CAP 59; Boarder 58, 59; Track Manager 58.



Robert Leander Thiels—"Bobbie"

The only way to have a friend is to be one.

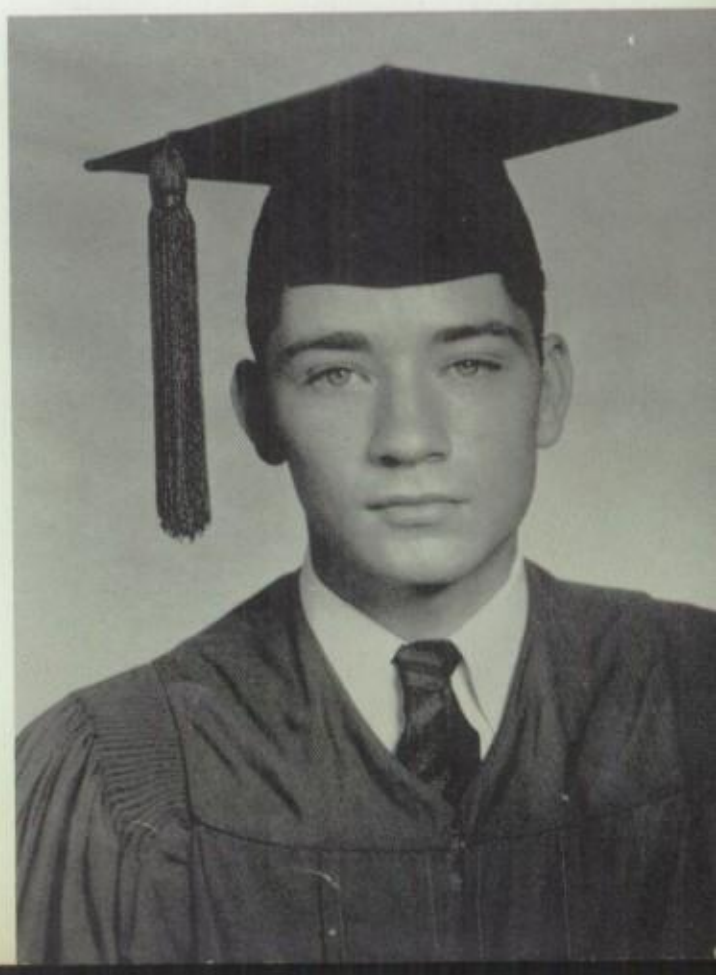
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59.



James Norman Todd

He who knows when to be silent knows when to speak.

Key Club 58, 59; Class Secretary 58; Class President 59; Honor Student 57, 59; Perfect Attendance 57; Ground Observer Corps 59; CAP 57, 58, 59; First Lieutenant Cadet Corps 58; CAP Encampment 58; Football 58, 59; Basketball 58, 59; Track 57, 58, 59; Pelican Boys' State 58; English II Medal 57; American History Medal 58; CYO Scholastic Award Basketball 58; Basketball Sportsmanship Award 58.



Herman Theodore Vallery—"Ted"

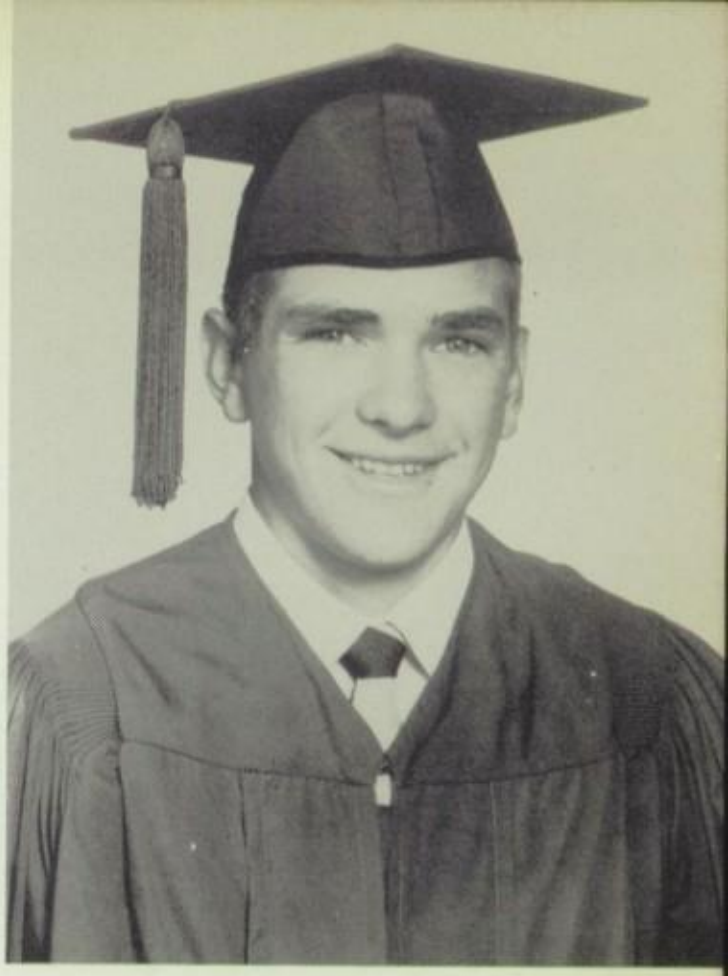
In sports, this fellow is sure to go far; since he is a basketball star.

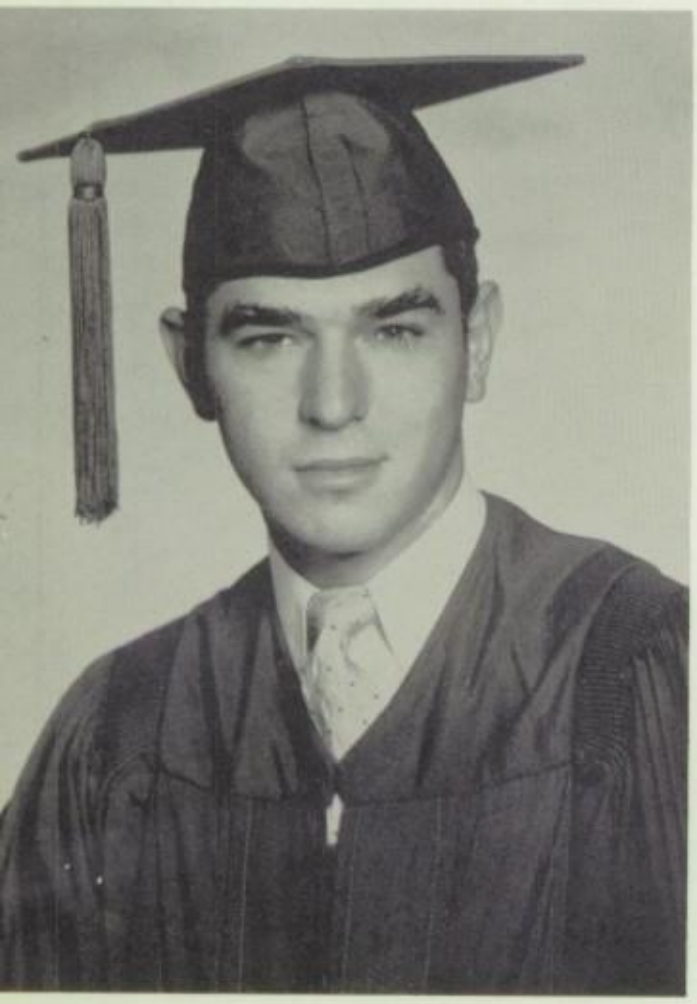
Class Vice President 59; Confraternity 58, 59; Football 58, 59; Basketball 58, 59; Baseball 58, 59; Basketball Trophy 58.

David Casimir Vanderlick

Men of few words are the best men.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Band 56, 57; 4-H Club 56, 57, 58, 59; Rifle Club 57; Perfect Attendance 56; Honor Student 59; CAP 56 ,57, 58, 59; 4-H Club Champion 57; Champion Beef 57, 58; International Livestock Exposition Chicago 58; Champion Beef Showman and best-fitted Beef Trophies 57.





Joseph Cecil Vanderlick

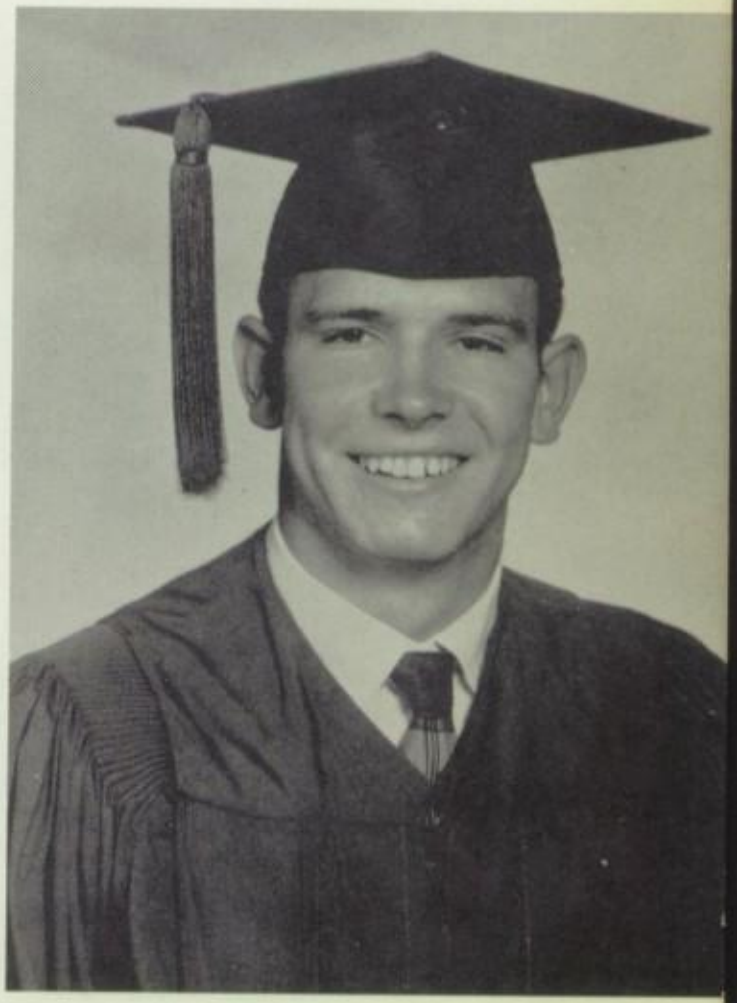
A homemade friend wears longer than one you buy in a market.

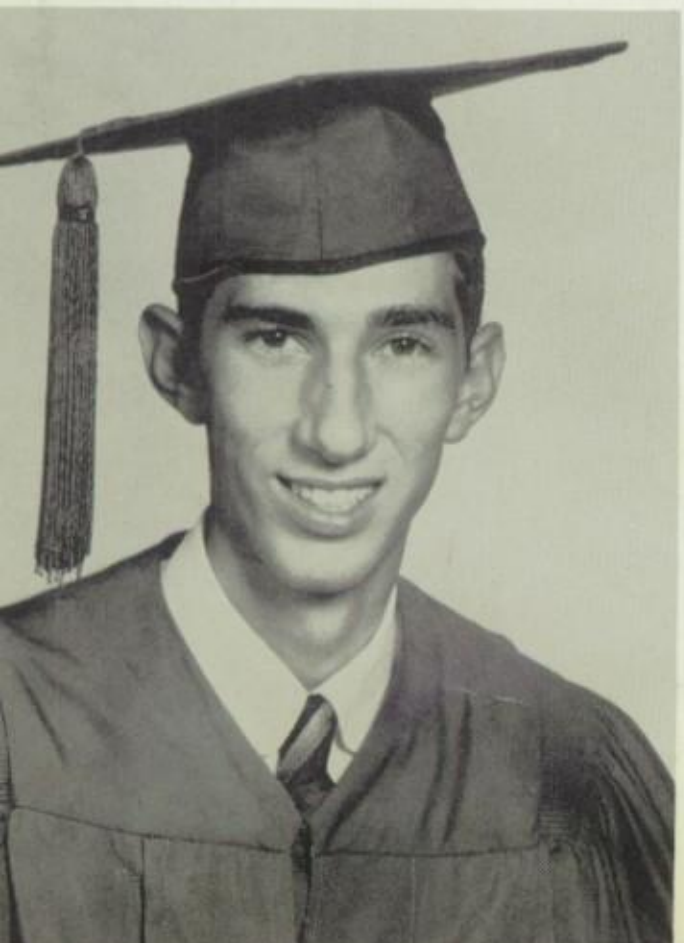
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; 4-H Club 56, 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; Member of Louisiana Crop Judging Team 57; Rapides Parish Judging Team 58.

George Anthony Verzwyvelt

A lad with plenty of grit, for any trial he's always fit.

Class President 56, 57; Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Secretary 57, 58; 4-H Club 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 57; Boys' State 58; 4-H Club Congress in Chicago 57, 58; NJCA Convention Springfield, Ill. 58; History Medal 56; English Medal 57.

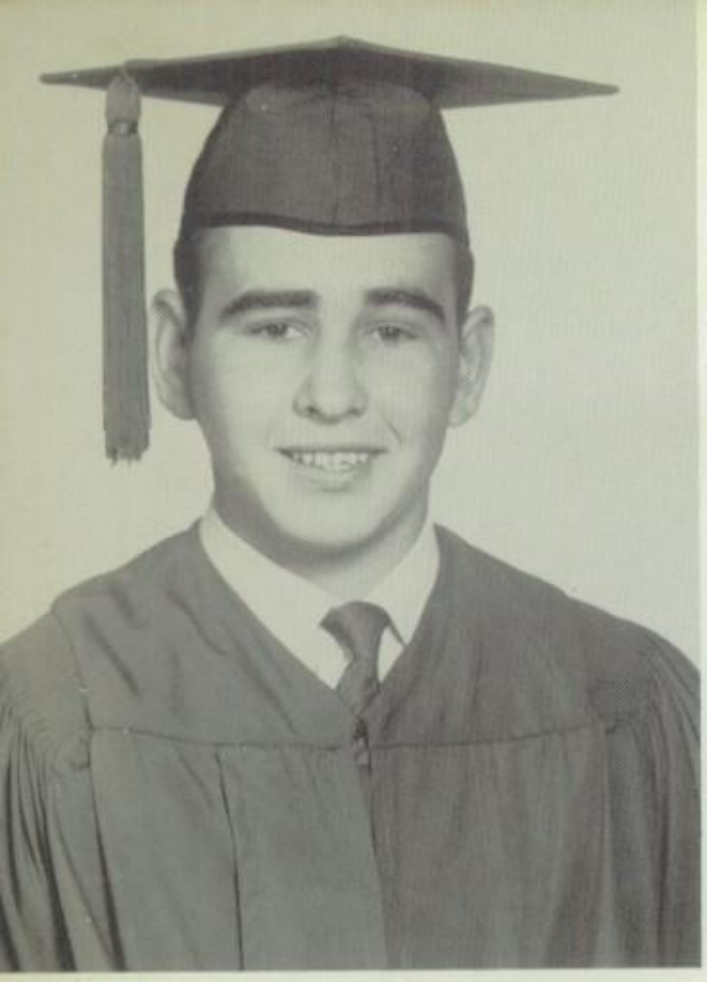




Charles Bernard Vincent—"The Sun"

I haven't heard of anybody who wants to stop living on account of the cost.

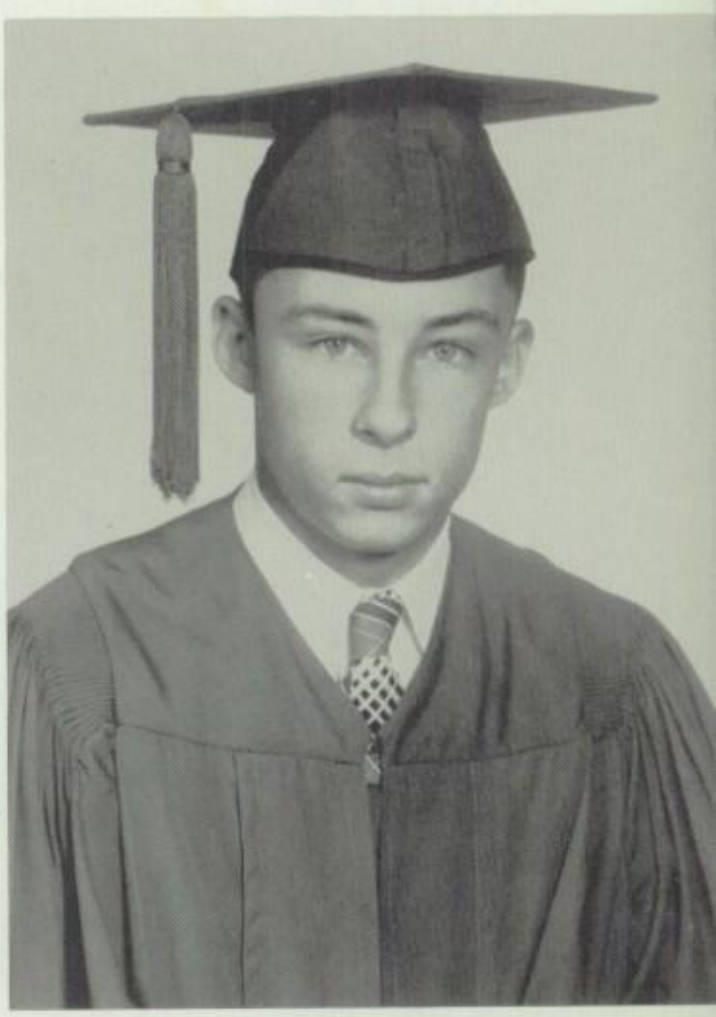
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 57; Honor Student 58; CAP 56, 57, 58; Track 57; Religion Medal 57; Confraternity Convention 56; Sophomore Handball Medal 57.



George Michael Wagner—"Georgeleroo"

This world sure would be dull without me.

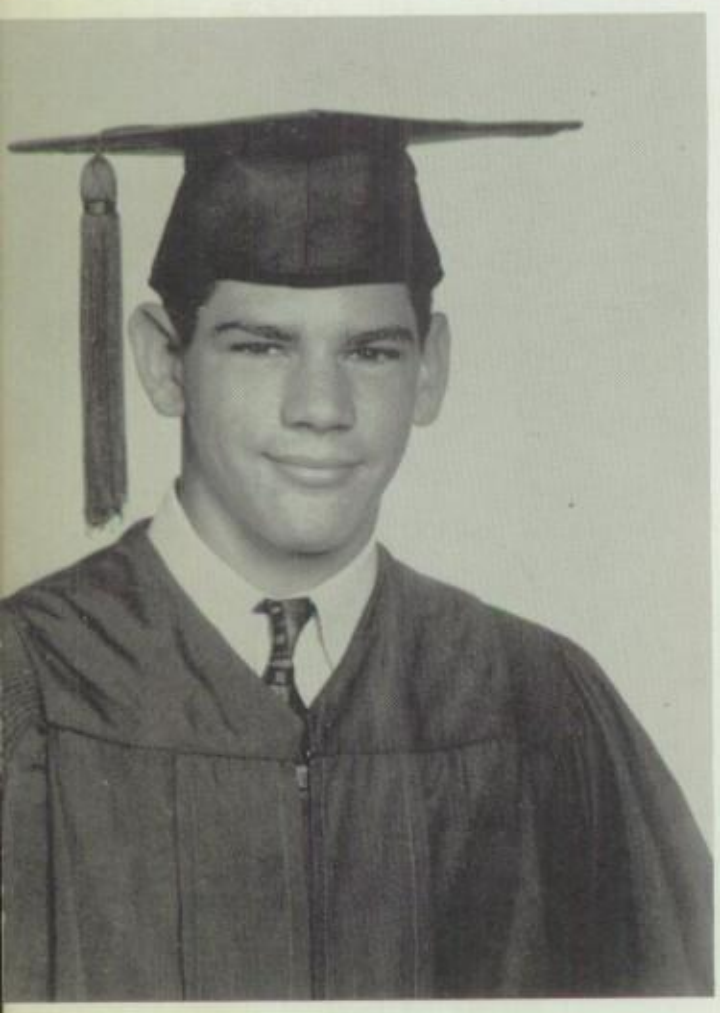
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56; Football 59; Basketball Manager 57; Track 56, 58; Yearbook Staff 59.



Joseph Albert Wall—"Bert"

Trim but small; a friend to all.

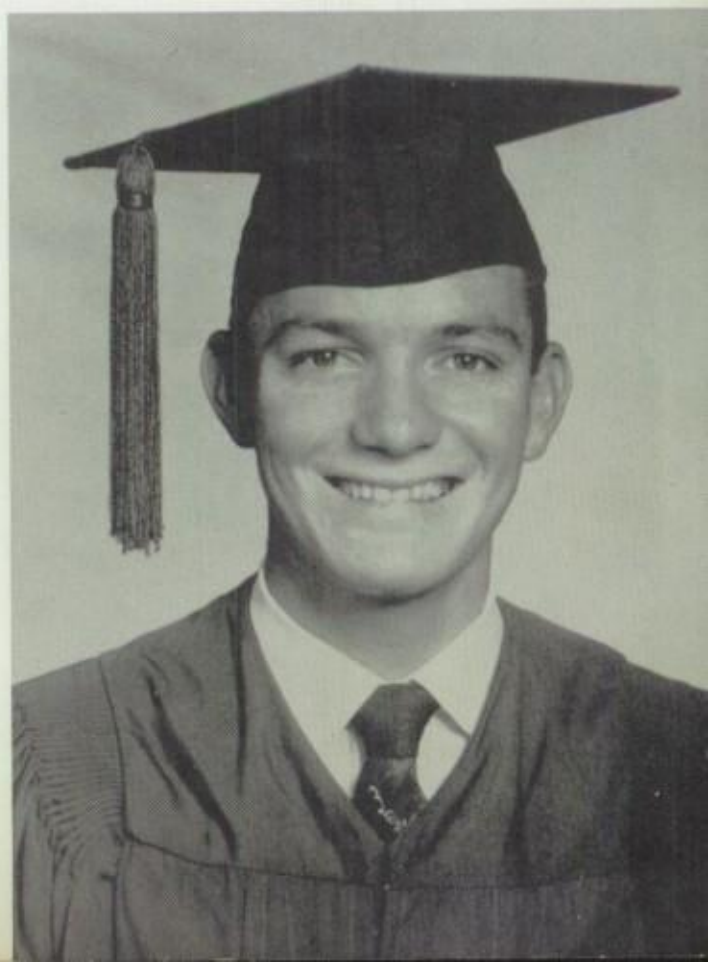
Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 59; Rifle Club 56, 57, 58, 59; Perfect Attendance 56, 57, 58; Honor Student 58, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP Encampment 57.



Donald Joseph Webb

Many a closed mind has been opened by mistake.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Key Club 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 56, 57, 59; Ground Observer Corps 56, 57, 58, 59; CAP 56, 57, 58, 59; Football Manager 58; Football 59; Basketball Manager 58; Track 57, 58, 59; Boys' State 58; Radio Club 56, 57; Glee Club 56, Yearbook Staff 59.



Oliver Boyd Yerby—"Olive"

Some folks never handle the truth without scratching it.

Confraternity 56, 57, 58, 59; Honor Student 56, 57, 58, 59; Cafeteria Worker 58, 59; Football 58, 59; Track 56.

12-A CLASS OFFICERS: James Todd, President; Darrel Glankler, Vice President; Harry Longwell, Secretary; John Lauve, Treasurer.

12-B CLASS OFFICERS

ERNEST CHENEVERT
President
(missing from picture)

TED VALLERY
Vice President
(center)

JAMES DAVIDSON
Secretary
(right)

SAMUEL NORMAND
Treasurer
(left)

Juniors

James Alford

John Andries

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RICHARD TEXADA, *President*
EARL GUILLORY, *Vice President*
KENNETH ARDOIN, *Secretary*
PHILLIP SLEET, *Treasurer*

Charles Ardoin

Kenneth Ardoin

Richard Asscherick

Aubrey Basco

Paul Bellino

Claude Berry

John Betar

Juniors

Jerry Bize

Morris Bordelon

Thomas Bossier

Ralph Brister

William Carr

John Cook

Charles Crooks

James Crooks

Donald Dean

Juniors

Roy Derbonne
James DeSelle

John DiStefano
Paul Fett

Benjamin Fleury
Marshall Gray

Earl Guillory
Michael Guillory

Juniors

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BOOTHIE O'QUINN, *Vice President*
PAUL FETT, *Secretary*
MICHAEL GUILLORY, *Treasurer*

John Hildenbrand

John Hromadka

M. J. LaBorde

Steve Lazaro

James Lilley

Murray McMillin

Jerome Mahfouz

Martin Masden

Juniors

Wayne Mathews
James Murphy

Douglas Nigreville
Boothie O'Quinn

James Percy
Charles Pickett

Joe Prudhomme
Robert Rachal
David Roberts

Juniors

Robert Rogers

Gene Sanchez

Joseph Scarbrock

Phillip Sleet

David Soileau

Anthony Tamburo

Richard Texada

James Verzwyvelt

Jerry Voorhies

Sophomores

Barry Ackel

John Baker

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GERALD LEBLANC, *Vice President*

EDWIN SPIESS, *Secretary*

JACK RANDALL, *Treasurer*

Robert Barkley

Bob Boisvert

Donald Boniol

Thomas Brasher

Charles Breaux

Malcolm Brouillette

Louis Cambre

Sophomores

Ronnie Cresap

Wayne Davis

Richard Domico

Herbert Ducrepont

Noah Ducrepont

Roy Erwin

Bennie Fazio

Bill Finical

Harry Flynn

Sophomores

Philip Flynn
Hayden Fruge

Stephen Gauthier
David Glorioso

Donald Guillory
Richard Guillory

Robert Johnson
Perry Jordan
Conrad Juneau

Sophomores

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DOUGLAS RYLEE, *Vice President*
WILLIAM WOLF, *Secretary*
GROVER WALKER, *Treasurer*

A. P. LaBorde

Michael LaFleur

Gerald LeBland

Joseph Lawrence

William Lintott

V. A. Lomonte

Elbert Lozes

Pete Mahfouz

Paul Marcotte

Sophomores

Robert Mayeux
James McElroy

Charles McKay
Oliver McPhate

Frank Michalski
Ronald Moreau

Frank McGuinness
Gunter Pinckert
David Plauche

Sophomores

Billy Pospisil

Philip Pressley

Gene Rachal

Walter Randall

Jasper Rizzo

Douglas Rylle

Joseph Scalfano

Russell Segura

James Smith

Edwin Spiess

Sophomores

James Stone

Charles Thiels

Marvin Thiels

Walter Vanderlick

Charles Vandersypen

Grover Walker

Benjamin Wall

Teddy Weatherford

Robert Whittington

Bill Wolf

Freshmen

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ROSCOE DOUGLAS, *Vice President*
ERNEST KNOBLOCK, *Secretary*
NEIL DORE, *Treasurer*

Harry Armand

Harvey Basco

James Baudin

Bernard Bellino

Harold Beridon

David Boisvert

Leonard Boney

Danny Boogaerts

Danny Boudreaux

Freshmen

Clyde Brister

Roger Cavaness

Paul Ceasar

Ted Charrier

William Cobb

Willis Coco

Camille Camella

Sam Damico

James Damico

Gene DeRouen

Freshmen

James Deville

Neil Dore

Roscoe Douglas

Kenneth Eversull

Laurence Fuglaar

Joe George

Robert Gibson

William Herpin

Andy Hill

Joseph Johnson

Freshmen

Ernest Knoblock

Teddy Konduris

Gary Laborde

George Lamaze

James Lanius

Rogers Laprairie

Walter Ledig

Larry Lucas

Roderic Martin

Joseph Mathews

Freshmen

Paul Mathews

Joseph Mitchell

Ray Mose

Robert Mullen

Frank Palermo

Randy Pias

James Poston

James Renz

Paul Rouen

Murphy Roberts

Patrick Scallan

Clifford Schexnayder

Freshmen

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JOSEPH MITCHELL, *Vice President*

GEORGE WITHERS, *Secretary*

WILLIS COCO, *Treasurer*

Philip Smith

Richard Stone

Nicholas Taylor

Paul Terrell

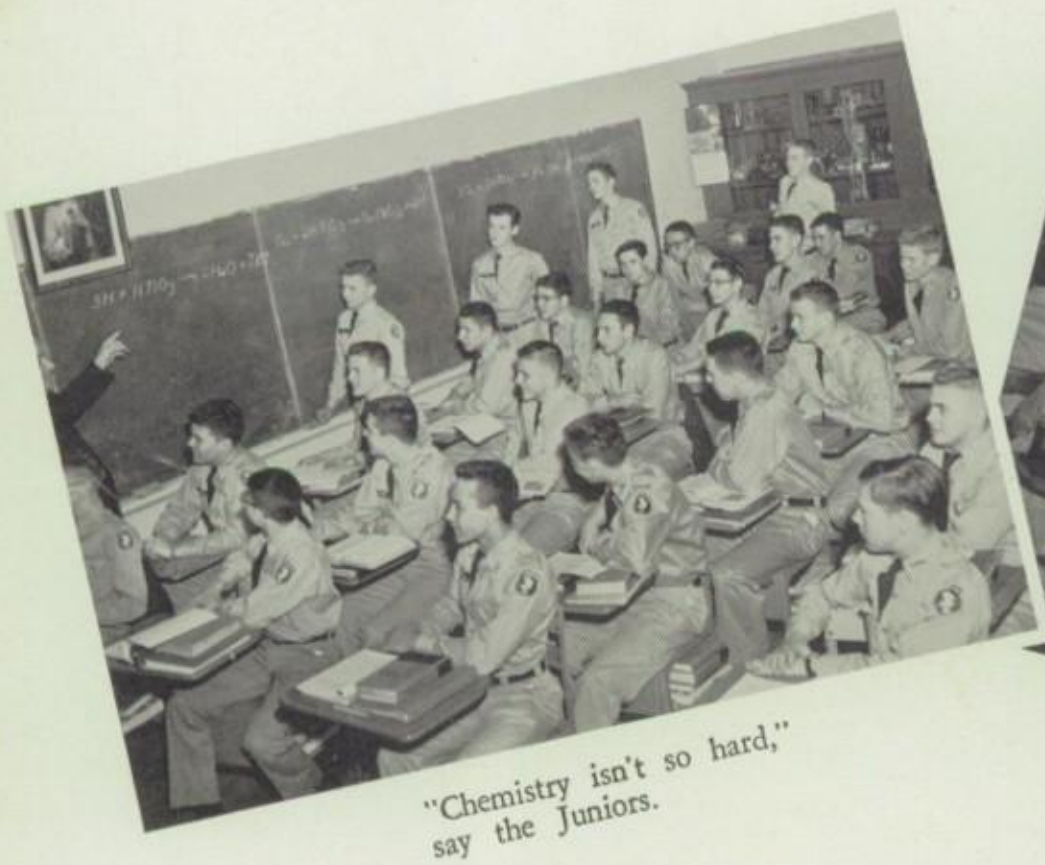
Lynn Verzwyvelt

Michael Willis

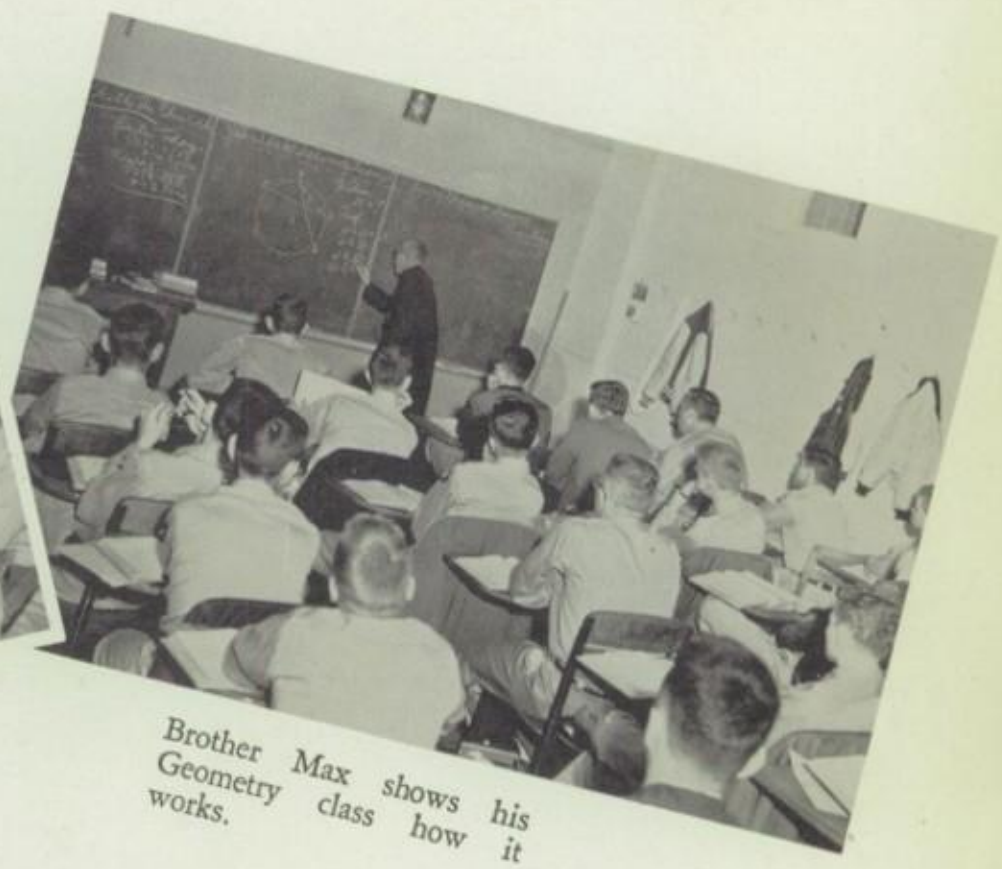
George Withers

The Freshmen study Civics under Brother Cosmas.

The complexities of graphs are mastered by the Seniors.



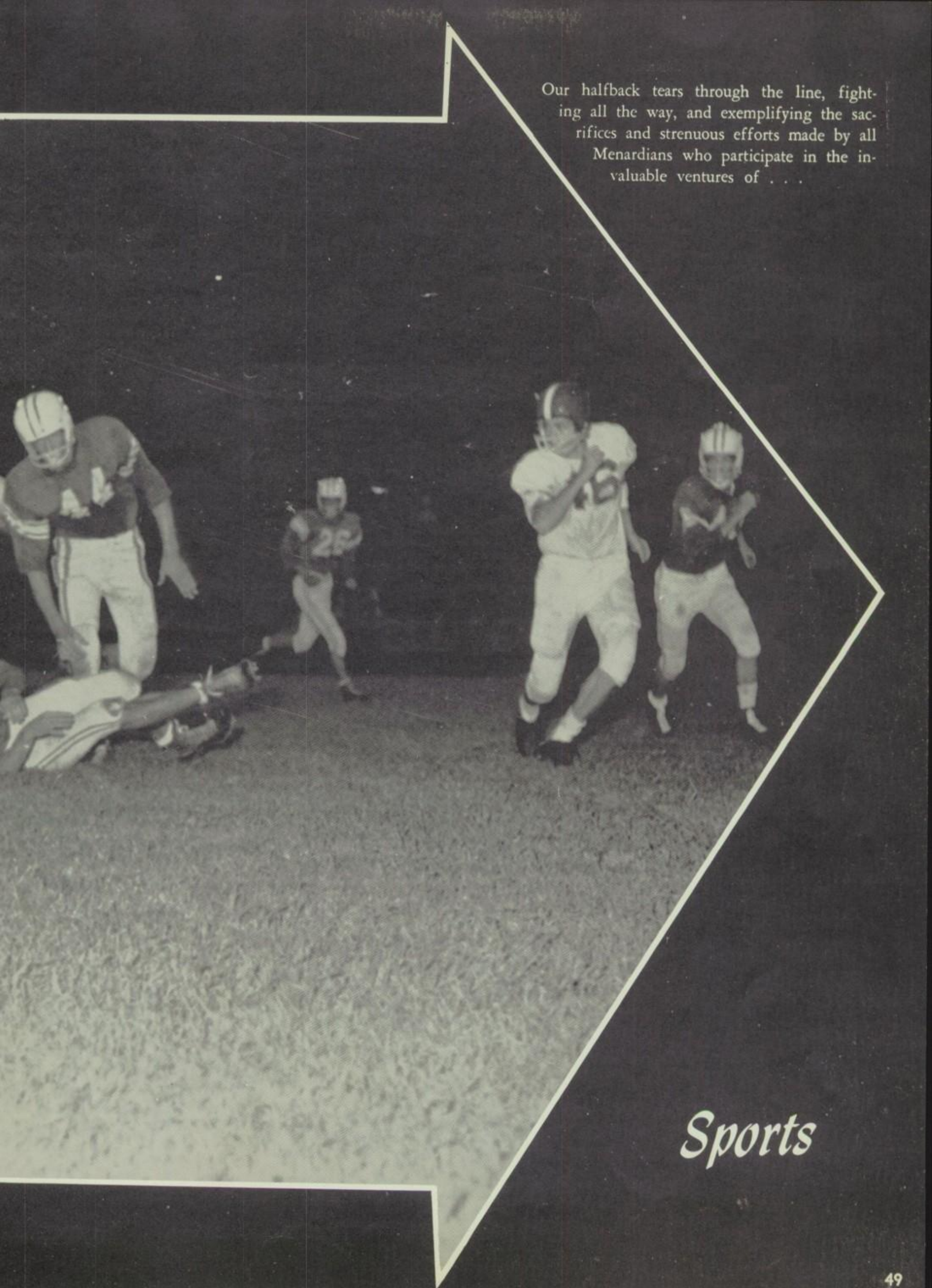
"Chemistry isn't so hard," say the Juniors.



Brother Max shows his Geometry class how it works.

Striving for 40, the Typing class labors industriously.

Our halfback tears through the line, fighting all the way, and exemplifying the sacrifices and strenuous efforts made by all Menardians who participate in the invaluable ventures of . . .



Sports

Coaching Staff

MR. CHARLES CROUCH
Head Coach

MR. JERRY LAVESPERE
Assistant Coach

BROTHER C O S M A S, Athletic Director, purchases some athletic equipment.

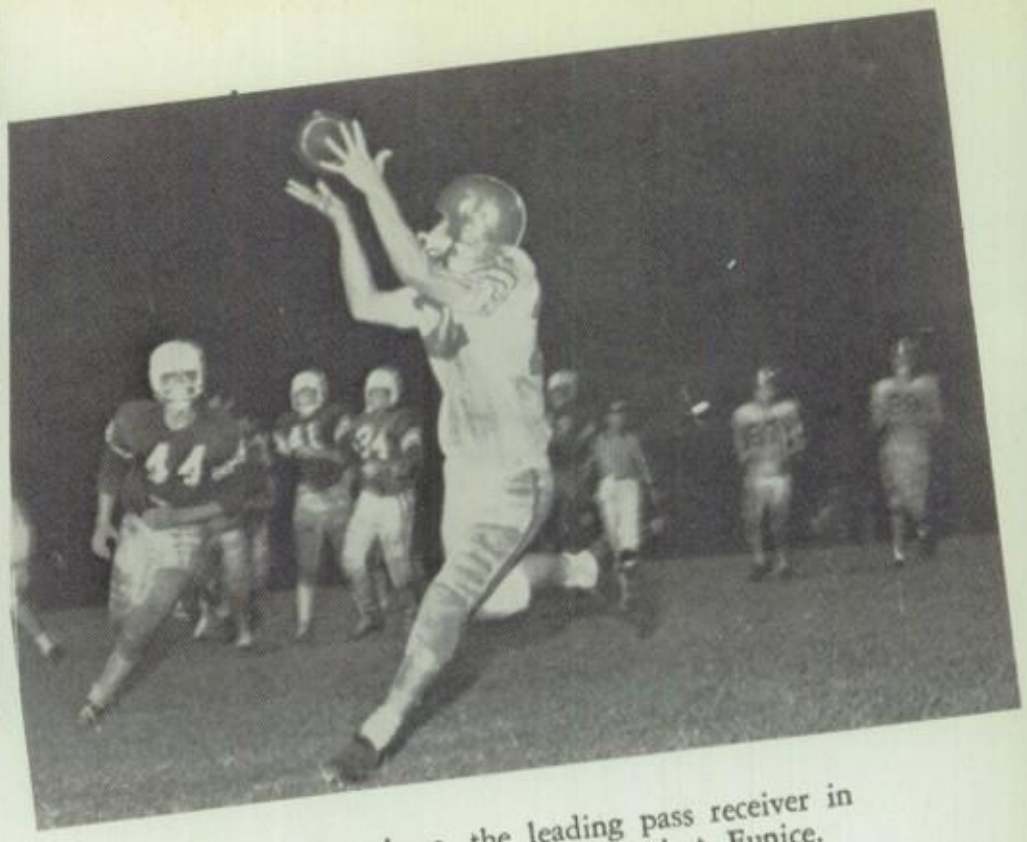
FIRST ROW: Donald Webb, Tommy Brasher, John Hromadka, Robert Whittington, Ted Weatherford. SECOND ROW: Richard Texada, Richard Guraedy, John Lauve, Philip Berniard, Billy Lintott, Jerome Mahfouz. THIRD ROW: Mike O'Halloran, A. P. Laborde, Charles Ardoin, Donald Boniol, Harry Longwell, Darrel Glankler, Bobby Boisvert. FOURTH ROW: Jimmy Phillips, George Wagner, Paul Fett, David Roberts, John Lintott, Jim Todd, Anthony Tamburo. FIFTH ROW: Oliver Yerby, Clifford Lawrence, Charles Crooks, Ted Vallery, Bill Wolf, Ernest Chenevert, James Alford, Donald Mayeux. SIXTH ROW: Pat Ryan, Jackie Barnidge, David Powell, Homer Crouch, Manager Dan Lowery.

Varsity Squad

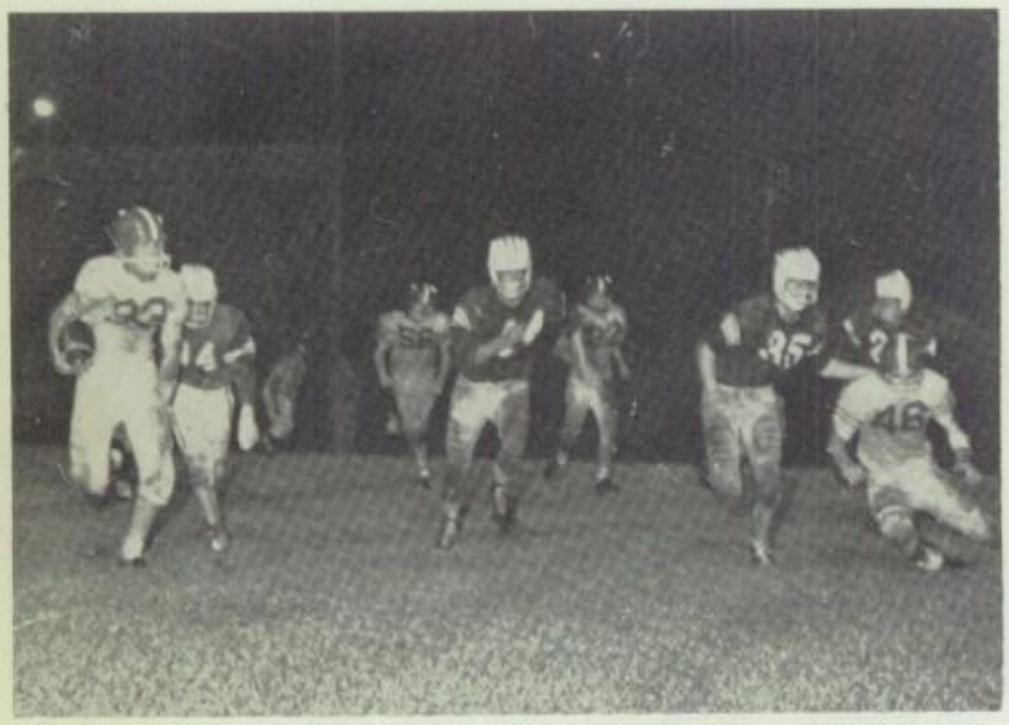
Manager
LOUIS MONTELARO

Manager
KENNETH ARDOIN

Jerome Mahfouz finds a big hole in Eunice's defensive line.

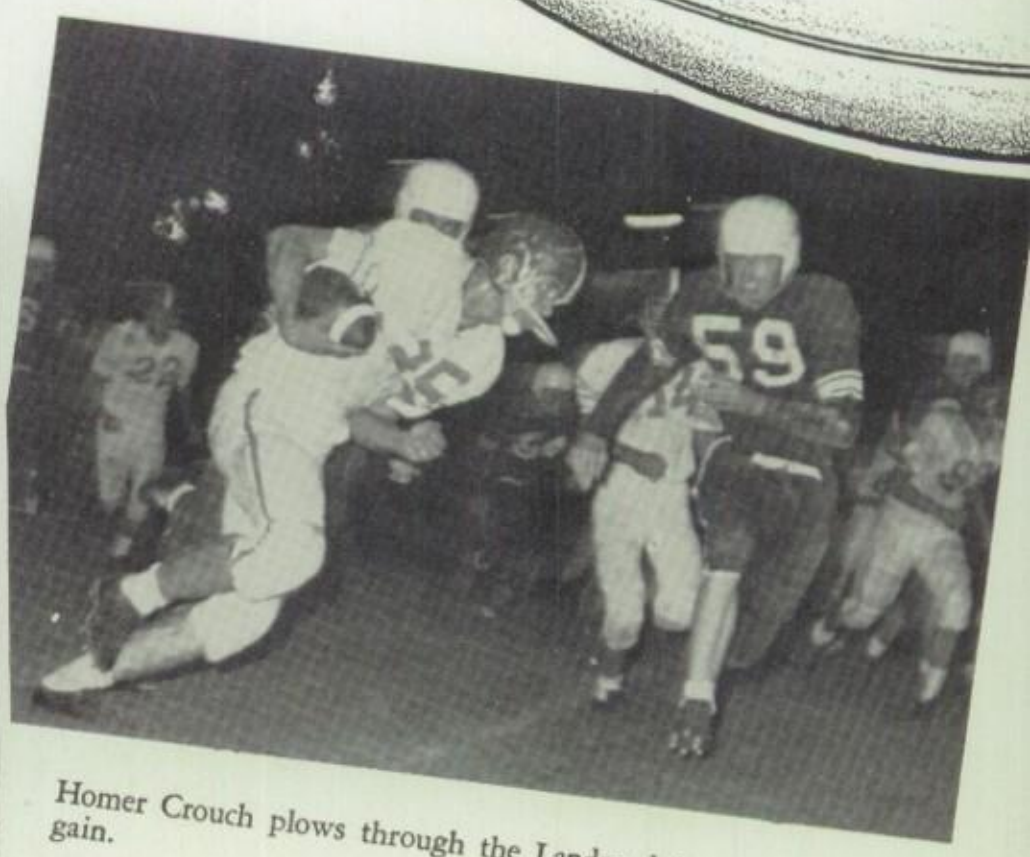


Anthony Tamburo, the leading pass receiver in the area, proves his ability against Eunice.

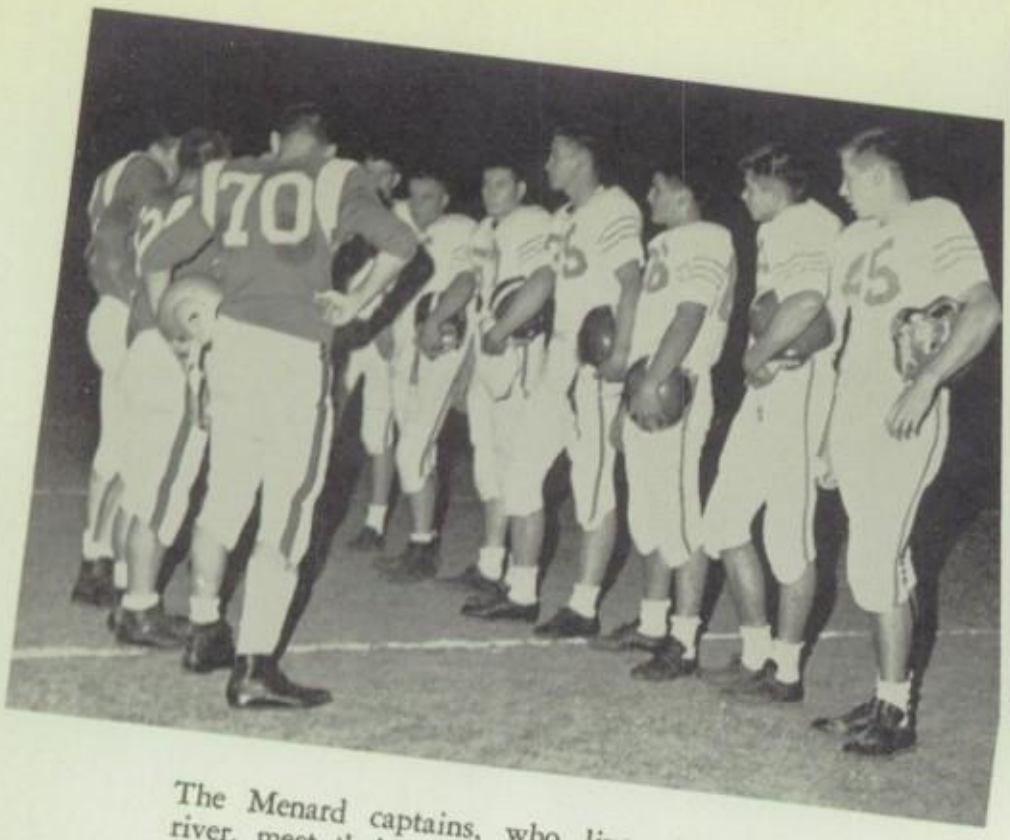


Homer Crouch races for the goal line as he is chased by Eunice defenders.

All-State Ernie Chenevert outraces the Opelousas foes.

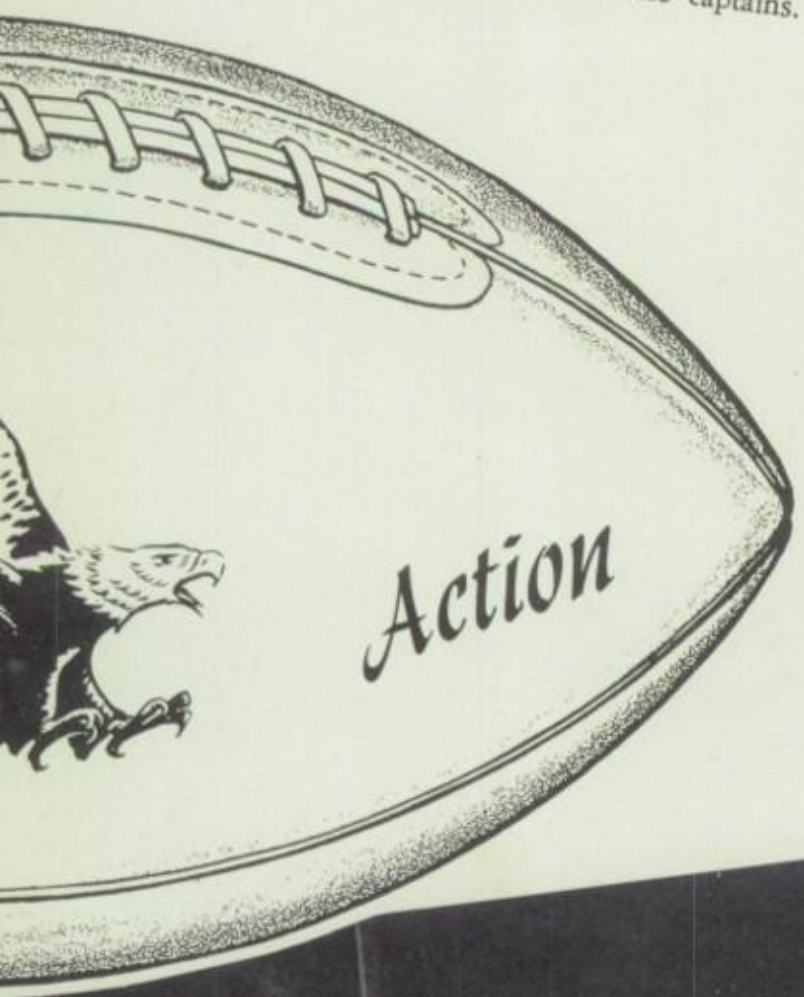


Homer Crouch plows through the Landry defense for a good gain.

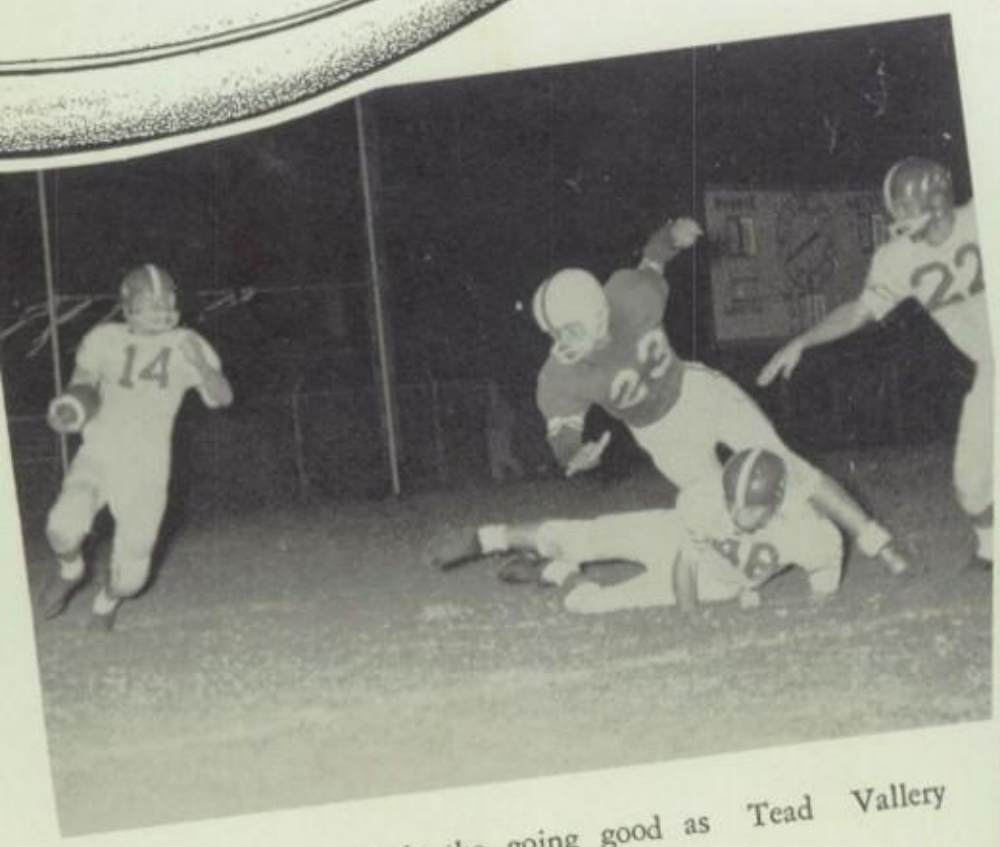


The Menard captains, who live across the river, meet their opposing Pineville captains.

Bobby Boisvert shoots around the Pineville players on a keep-play.



Anthony Tamburo races back the opening kickoff to score against the Rebels.



Jerome Mahfouz finds the going good as Tead Vallery throws a fine block in the Bunkie game.

Harry Longwell clears the way for Bobby Boisvert in the Pineville game.

Dick Guraedy

Mike O'Halloran

Ernie Chenevert

Don Webb

Johnny Lintott

Kipper Lawrence

Ted Vallery

Seniors

Darrel Glankler

Pete Berniard

Homer Crouch

Puffy Powell

Donald Mayeux

Harry Longwell

George Wagner

Oliver Yerby

Jackie Barnidge

Jim Todd

Jim Davidson

FIRST ROW: Jerome Mahfouz, John Lintott, Philip Berniard, John Hromadka, William Lintott, Charles Ardoin, Donald Mayeux. SECOND ROW: Richard Texada, Clifford Lawrence, Ted Vallery, Jim Todd, Homer Crouch, Richard Guraedy, James Alford. THIRD ROW: John Lauve, Darrel Glankler, Harry Longwell, Paul Fett, Ernest Chenevert, David Powell, Anthony Tamburo, Bobby Boisvert.

Varsity Lettermen 1958

Coach Crouch presents a football jacket to first year letterman, Johnny Lintott.

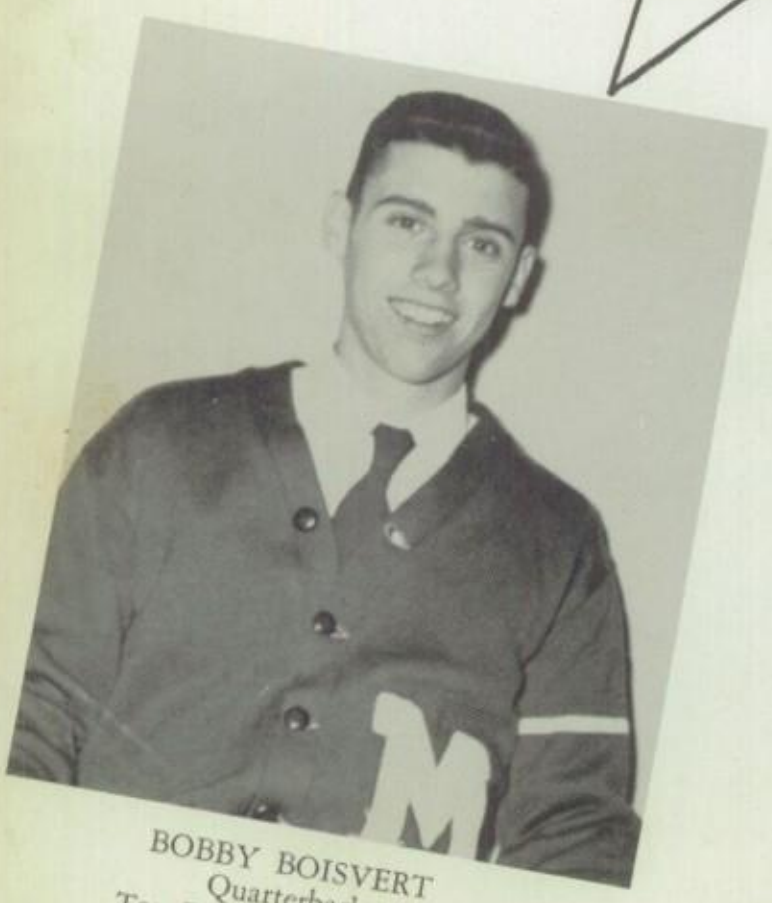
Pete Berniard proudly receives his football jacket for lettering in the past season.

Football Honors

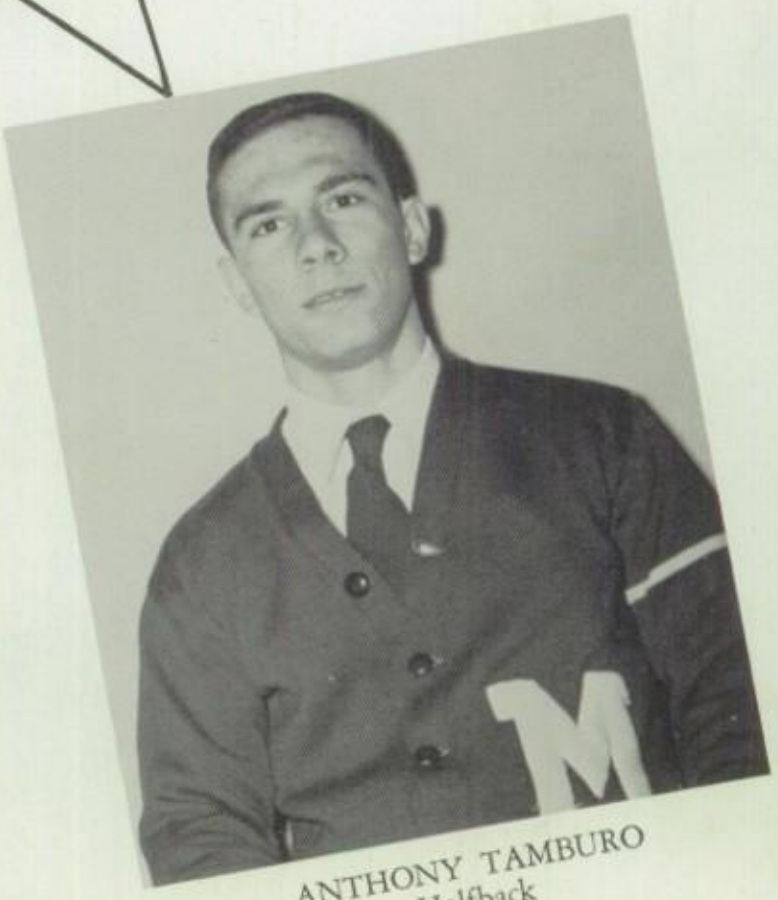
DAVID POWELL
Tackle
Second Team All-District

JOHN HROMADKA
Center
All-City

ERNEST CHENEVERT
End
All-City
All-District
All-State



BOBBY BOISVERT
Quarterback
Top Passer in Southwest
Louisiana



ANTHONY TAMBURO
Halfback

Top Pass Receiver in Southwest
Louisiana

BOTTOM ROW: Walter Ledig, Conrad Juneau, Danny Boogaerts, Camille Cumella, Clyde Brister, Paul Ceasar, Ernie Knoblock, Manager Jimmy Baudin. SECOND ROW: David Boisvert, Gerald LeBlanc, Richard Stone, Ted Weatherford, Barry Ackel, Frank Michalski, Chuck Breaux. THIRD ROW: Don Boniol, Pat Scallan, Billy Lintott, Harry Armand, Lynn Verzwyvelt, Roscoe Douglas, Neil Dore. FOURTH ROW: Brother Cosmas, Coach, Tommy Brasher, Bobby Gibson, James Stone, Pat Ryan, Peter Mahfouz, Wayne Davis, Brother Roger, Coach.

Junior Football

SEASON'S RECORD

Menard	20	Pineville	0
Menard	20	Jena	0
Menard	21	Marksville	6
Menard	14	Bolton	13
Menard	14	Jena	0
Menard	28	Bolton	32

LeBlanc edges by Bolton defenders for a touchdown.

VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD—FIRST ROW: John Hromadka, Jimmy Davidson, John Lauve, Harry Longwell, Anthony Tamburo, Jerome Mahfouz. SECOND ROW: Jim Todd, Clifford Lawrence, Ted Vallery, David Powell, Ernest Chenevert, Bob Rachal.

ERNEST CHENEVERT
Forward

DAVID POWELL
Center

TED VALLERY
Forward

JIM TODD
Guard

JEROME MAHFOUZ
Guard

JOHN LAUVE
Guard

Powell slips past Natchitoches defenders to score two points.

Menard	36
Menard	38
Menard	38
Menard	60
Menard	47
Menard	71
Menard	68
Menard	42
Menard	54
Menard	65
Menard	40
Menard	63
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Menard	56
Menard	62
Menard	75
Menard	72
Menard	61
Menard	58
Menard	55
Menard	50
Menard	60
Menard	53

Colfax	47
Colfax	57
Tioga	39
Lecompte	43
Cheneyville	48
Tioga	68
Buckeye	47
Pineville	45
Tioga	58
Boyce	37
Dry Prong	52
Pineville	40
Bolton	52
Colfax	45
Sikes	36
Georgetown	53
Natchitches	61
Forest Hill	56
Jena	58
Columbia	58
Pineville	59
Leesville	57
Lecompte	55
Forest Hill	62
Jena	64
Pineville	77
Dry Prong	52
Leesville	69
Natchitoches	67

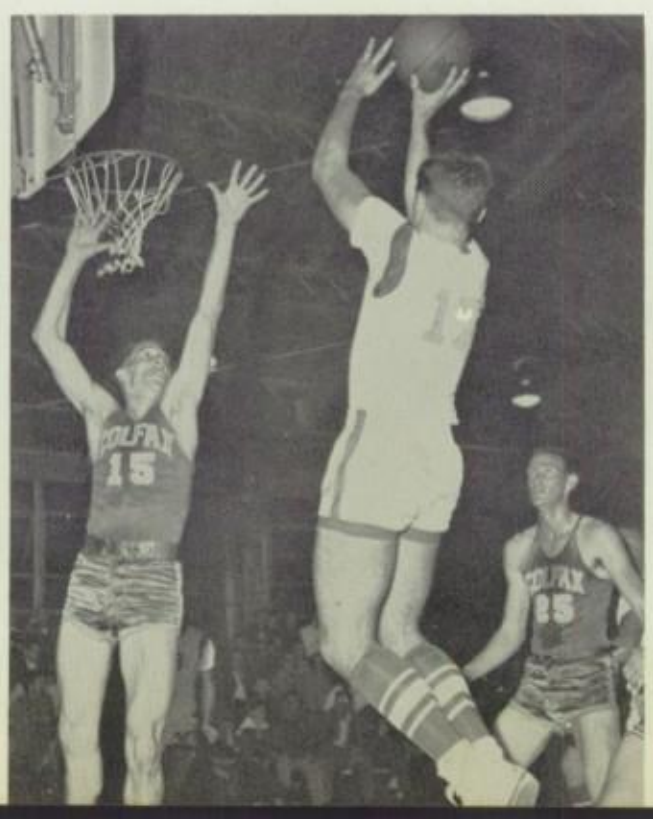
Todd drives in past a Leesville defender for a two point layup.

Ernie adds one more for insurance during the final seconds of the high scoring Tioga contest.

Vallery leaps high to net two points against Lecompte.

Despite the gallant efforts of the Buckeye players, Powell leaps high in the air for a difficult shot.

Colfax makes vain attempt to block Chenevert's favorite jump shot.

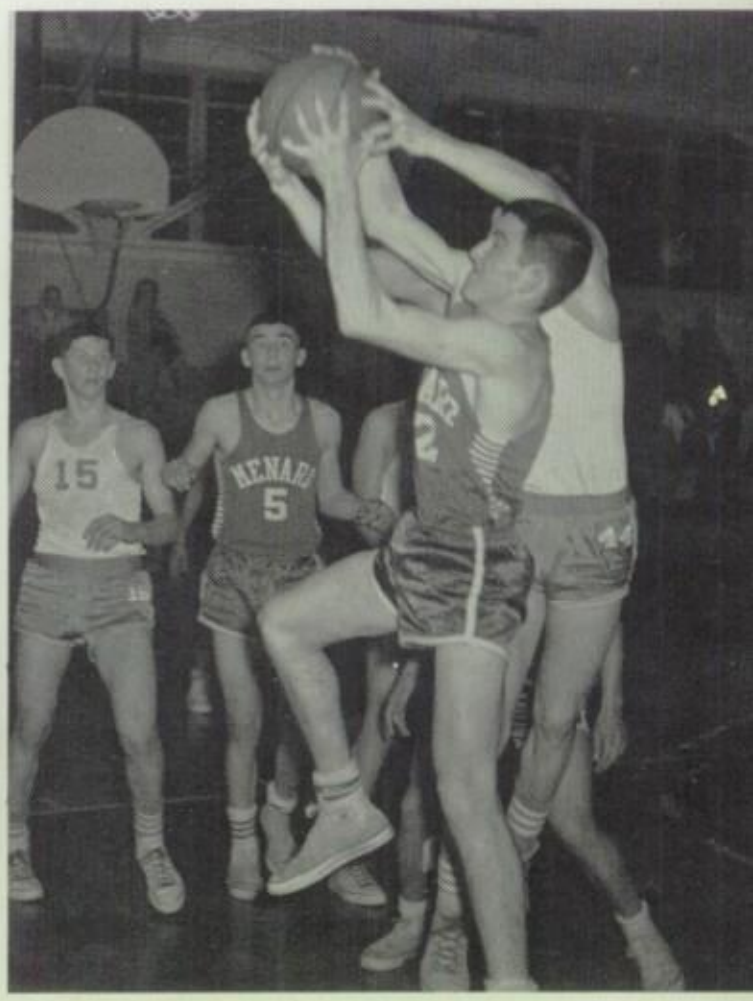


Coach Lavesphere gives last minute instructions to his team before the always exciting Pineville game.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL: Harry Flynn, Bobby Gibson, Paul Terrell, Peter Mahfouz, Wayne Davis, Donald Boniol, Bobby Boisvert, Gerald LeBlanc, David Boisvert, Pat Scallan, Harold Ledig, Ernie Knoblock.

Easy does it.

Not so easy!



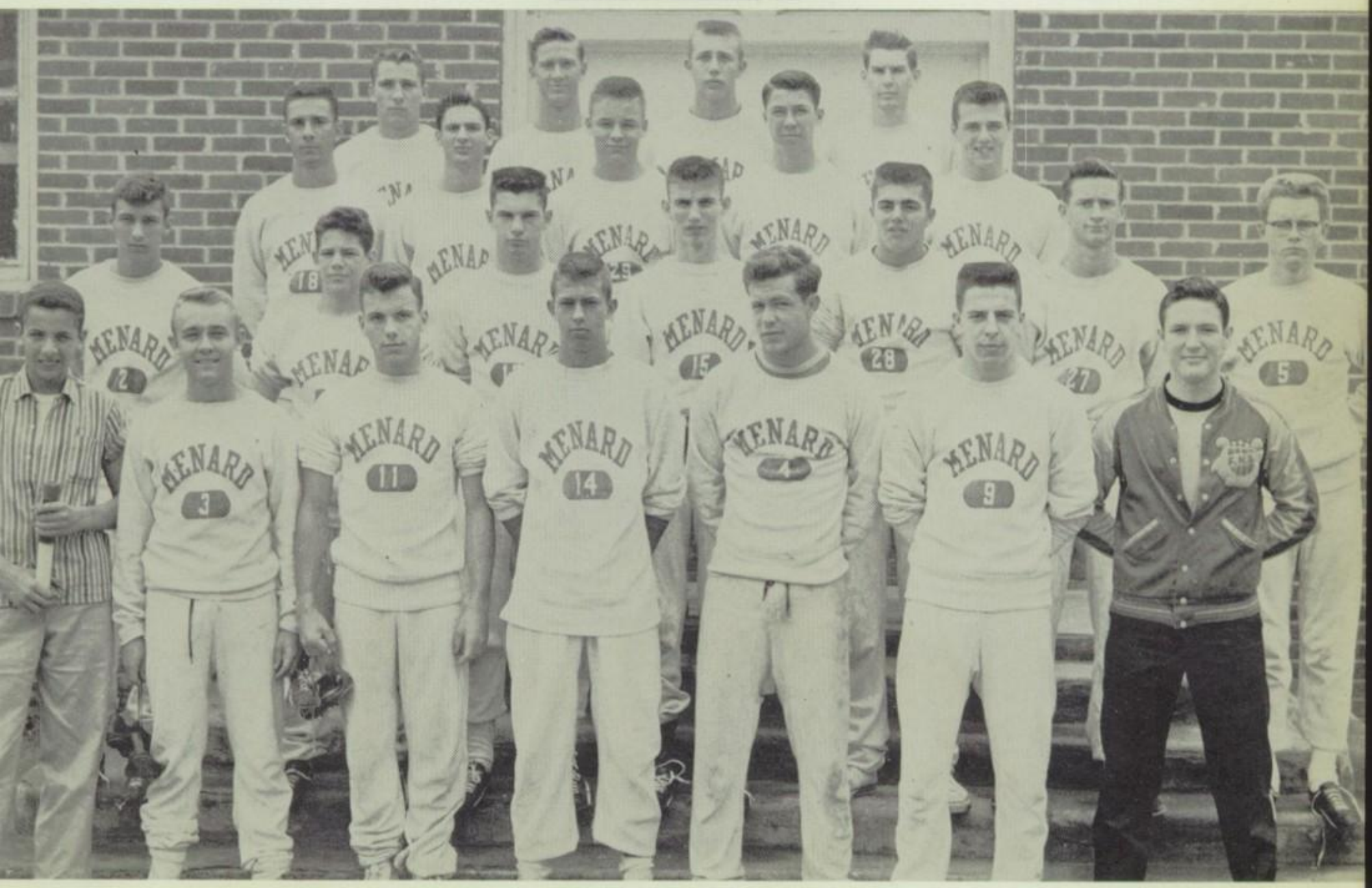
Jump ball!

Track Squad

Powell strains mightily as he clears the last hurdle to take first place in the Cenla Rally.

Watson shows the form that captured for him first place in the broad jump.

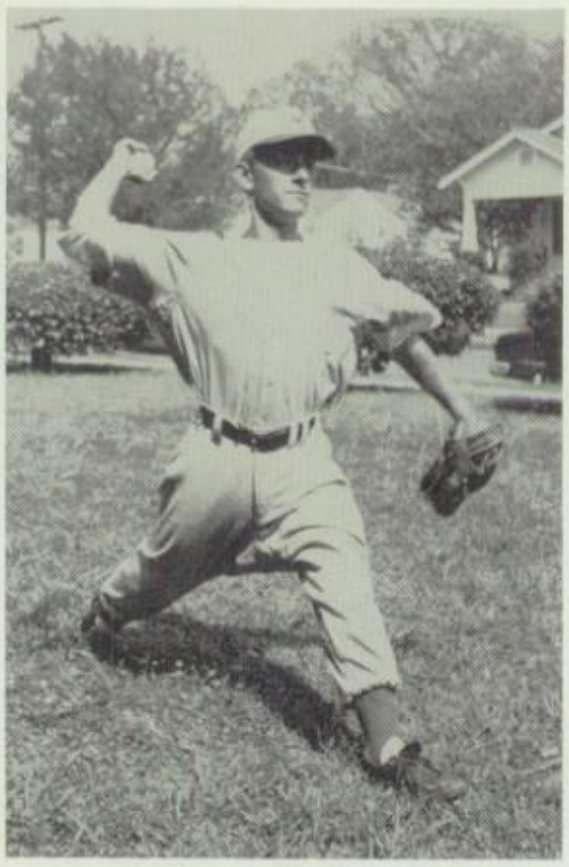
Breaking the tape with a tremendous burst of speed, Jim Todd earns second place in the 440-yard dash.



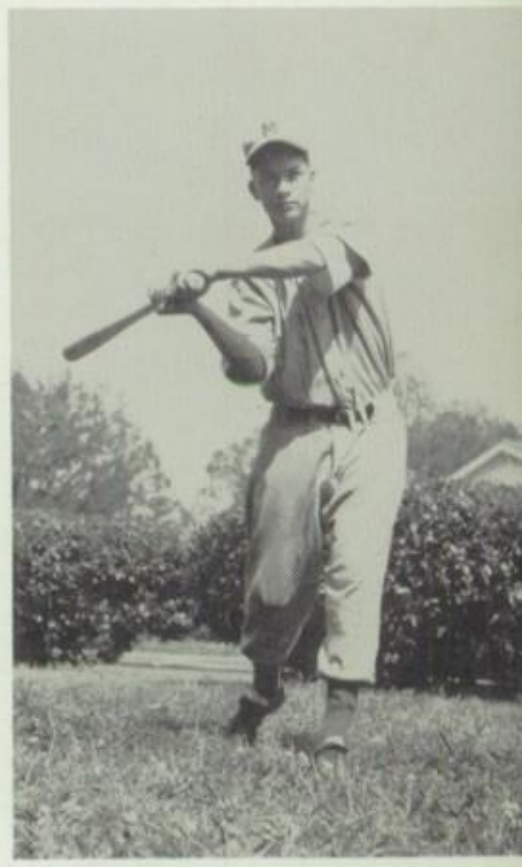
FIRST ROW: Manager Louis Montelaro, Pete Berniard, Warner Veillon, Jim Davidson, Bootsy Watson, Richard Texada, Manager Bobby Russell. SECOND ROW: Phillip Sleet, Donald Webb, Darrel Glankler, James LaFleur, Clifford Lawrence, Woody Crouch, Mike O'Halloran. THIRD ROW: Anthony Tamburo, Bobby Descant, Paul Fett, Donald Mayeux, Jim Todd. FOURTH ROW: Ernest Chenevert, Homer Crouch, David Powell, Jackie Barnidge.

VARSITY BASEBALL—KNEELING: Thomas Clifton, Philip Flynn, Brad White, Donald Boniol, Gene Sanchez, Warren Cardneaux, Wayne Davis. STANDING: Coach Pete McCulley, Bob Rachal, Obie Ford, Bob Rigby, Pete Rigby, John Lauve, Pat DeLaune, Ted Vallery, Julien Vienne, Coach Harry Thompson.

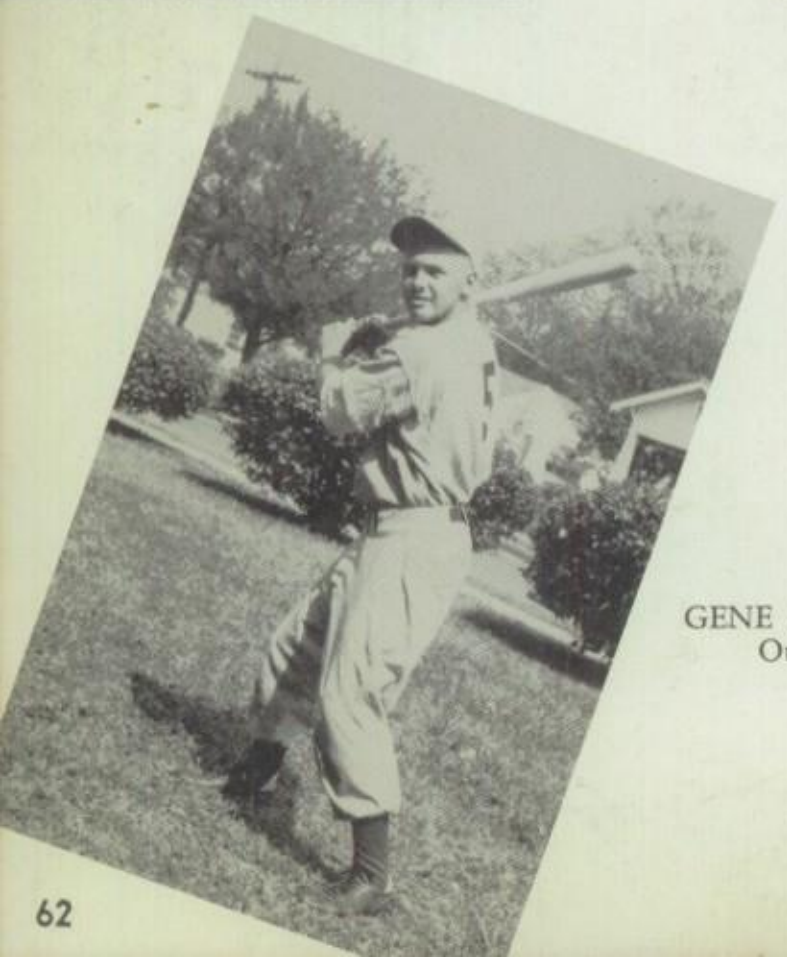
BOB
RIGBY
Catcher



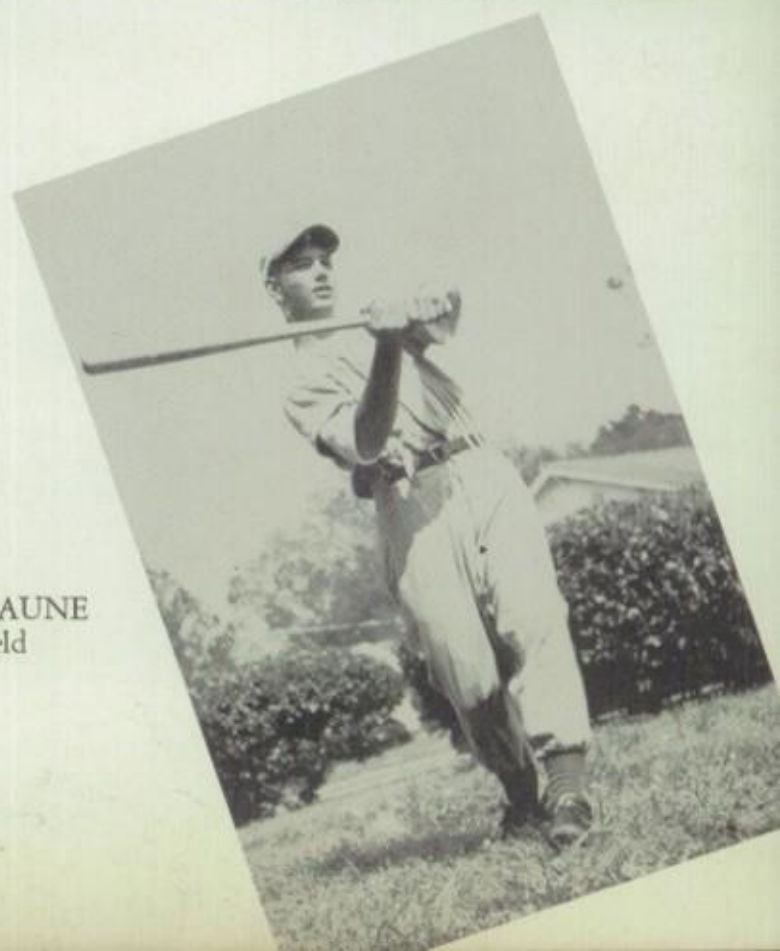
OBIE FORD
Pitcher



TED
VALLERY
Third
Base

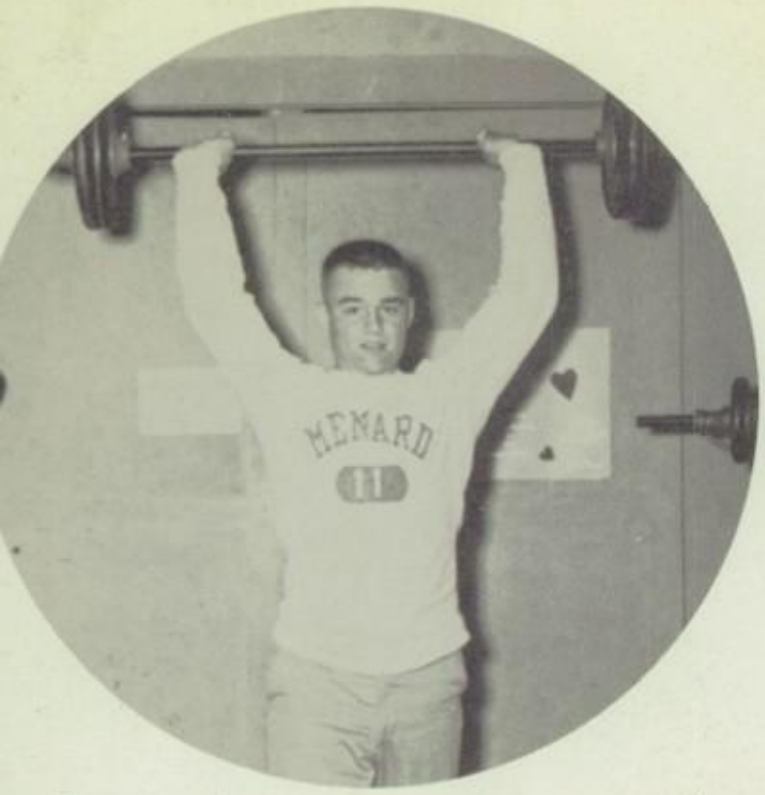


GENE SANCHEZ
Outfield



PAT DELAUNE
Outfield

Weight Lifting



Paul Fett displays his strength as he easily presses 125 pounds.

Leg building exercise is demonstrated by Richard Texada.

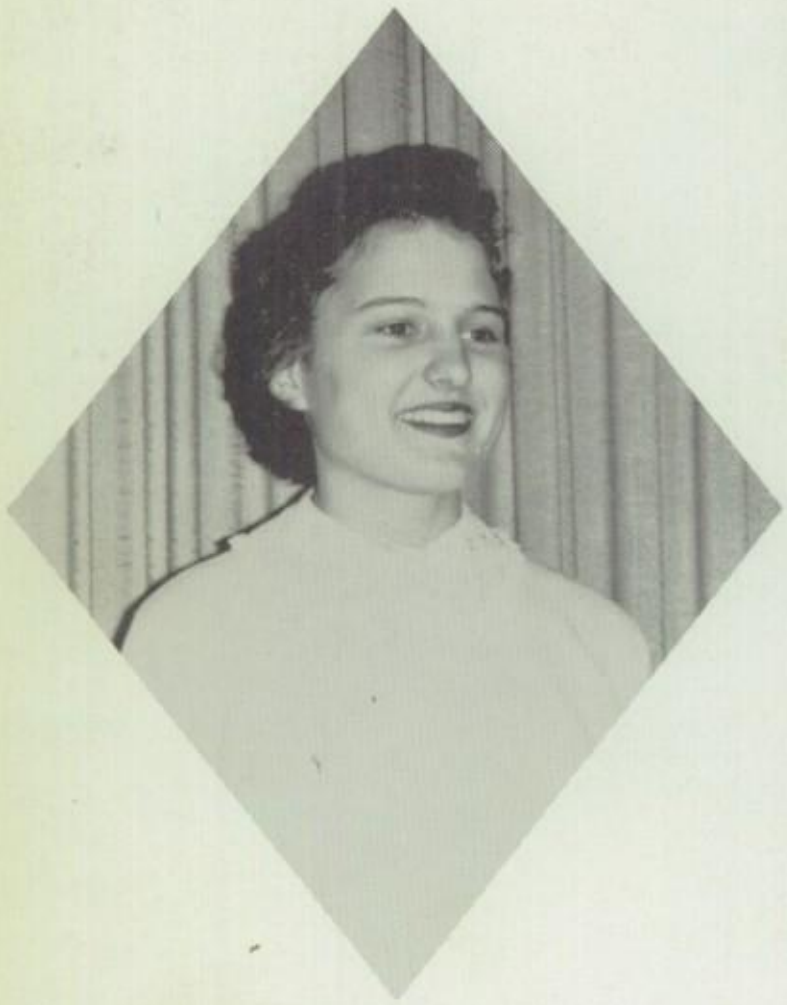
WEIGHT LIFTING SQUAD—FIRST ROW: Larry Lucas, Clyde Brister, Jimmy DeSelle, Philip Flynn, Tommy Brasher, Philip Sleet. SECOND ROW: Danny Boogaerts, James LaFleur, Keneth Ardoin, Richard Texada, Billy Lintott, Charles Ardoin. THIRD ROW: Paul Ceasar, Dan Verzwyvelt, Neil Dore, A. P. Laborde, Bill Wolf, James Alford, Donald Mayeux, Paul Fett.

A typical scene during a daily workout.

The training which students at Menard receive as auxiliary members of the United States Air Force is immeasurable. Our Civil Air Patrol endeavors to educate today's modern youth by instructing them on the tactics of . . .

Military

Lieutenant Johnson of the Veterans of Foreign Wars presents the "Cadet of the Year" Awards to Junior, David Powell; Sophomore, Charles Ardoin; and Freshman, Gerald LeBlanc for 1958.



Honorary Cadet Commandant Colonel Sue Willis selected by Cadet Corps at annual Military Ball.

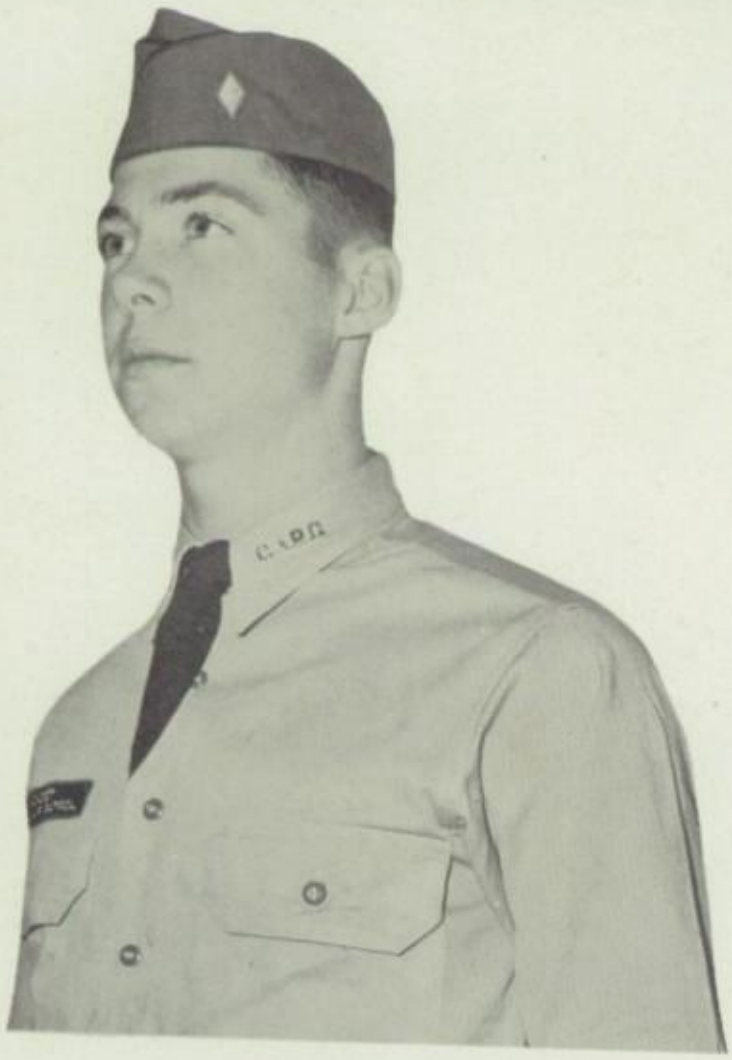
Colonel W. D. Haas, CAP Wing Commander.

Major General Walter R. Agee, USAF, National Commander, CAP.

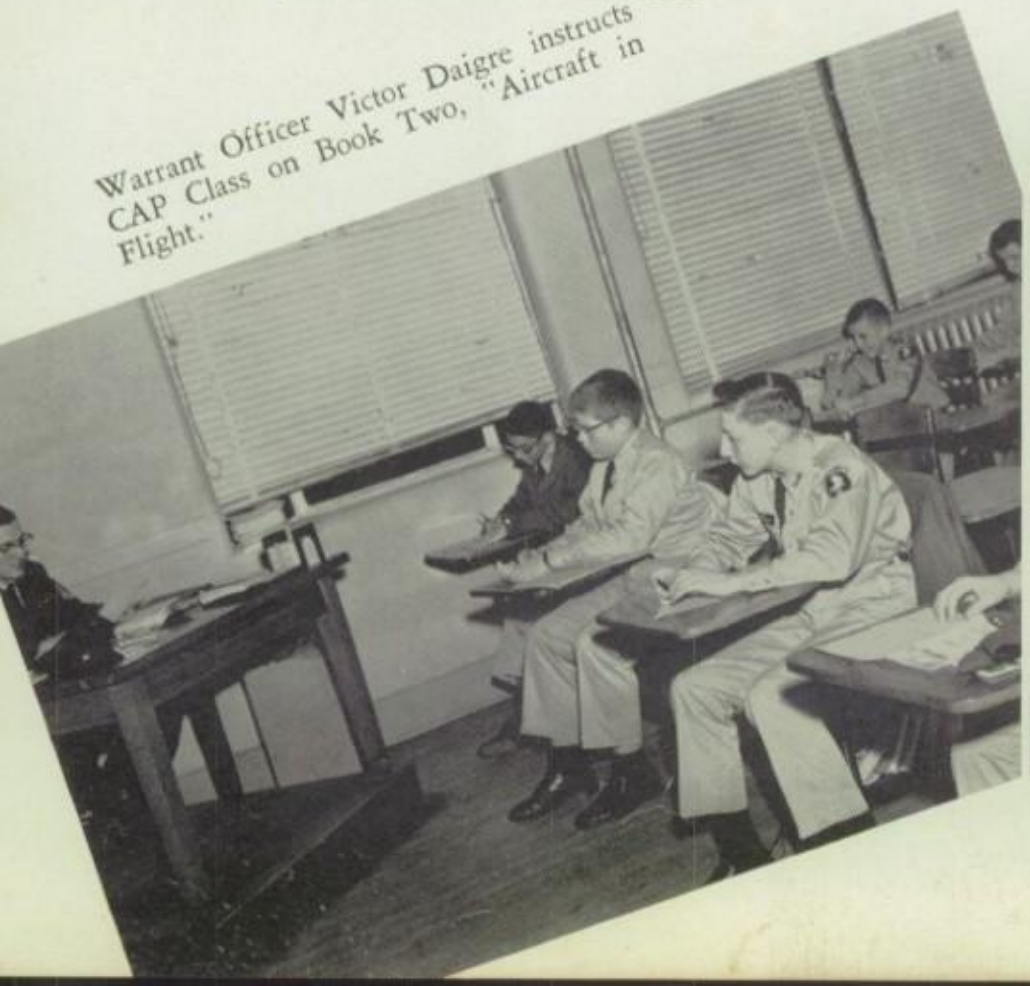
CAP Officers being inspected by Major Donald Mayeux and Captain Charles Ardoin.

SENIOR STAFF: Warrant Officer Odie Asscherick, Instructor; Father Vernon Bordelon, Chaplain; Mr. Ed Cruse Jr., Instructor; First Sergeant Andrew Hill.

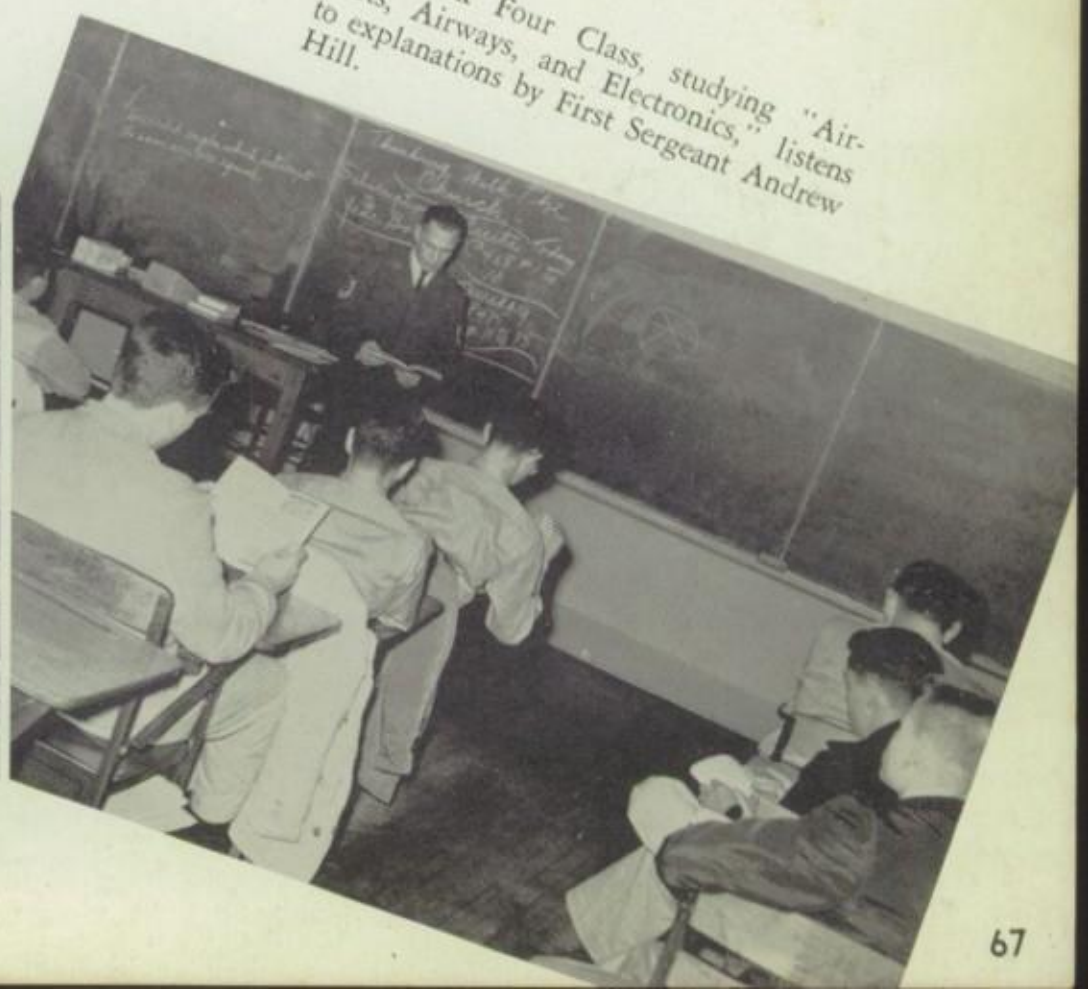
SENIOR STAFF: Mr. James H. Stone, Information Service Officer; Mr. Gordon Baker, Operations Officer; Brother (Major) Marion, S.C., Commander; Warrant Officer Victor Daigre, Instructor.



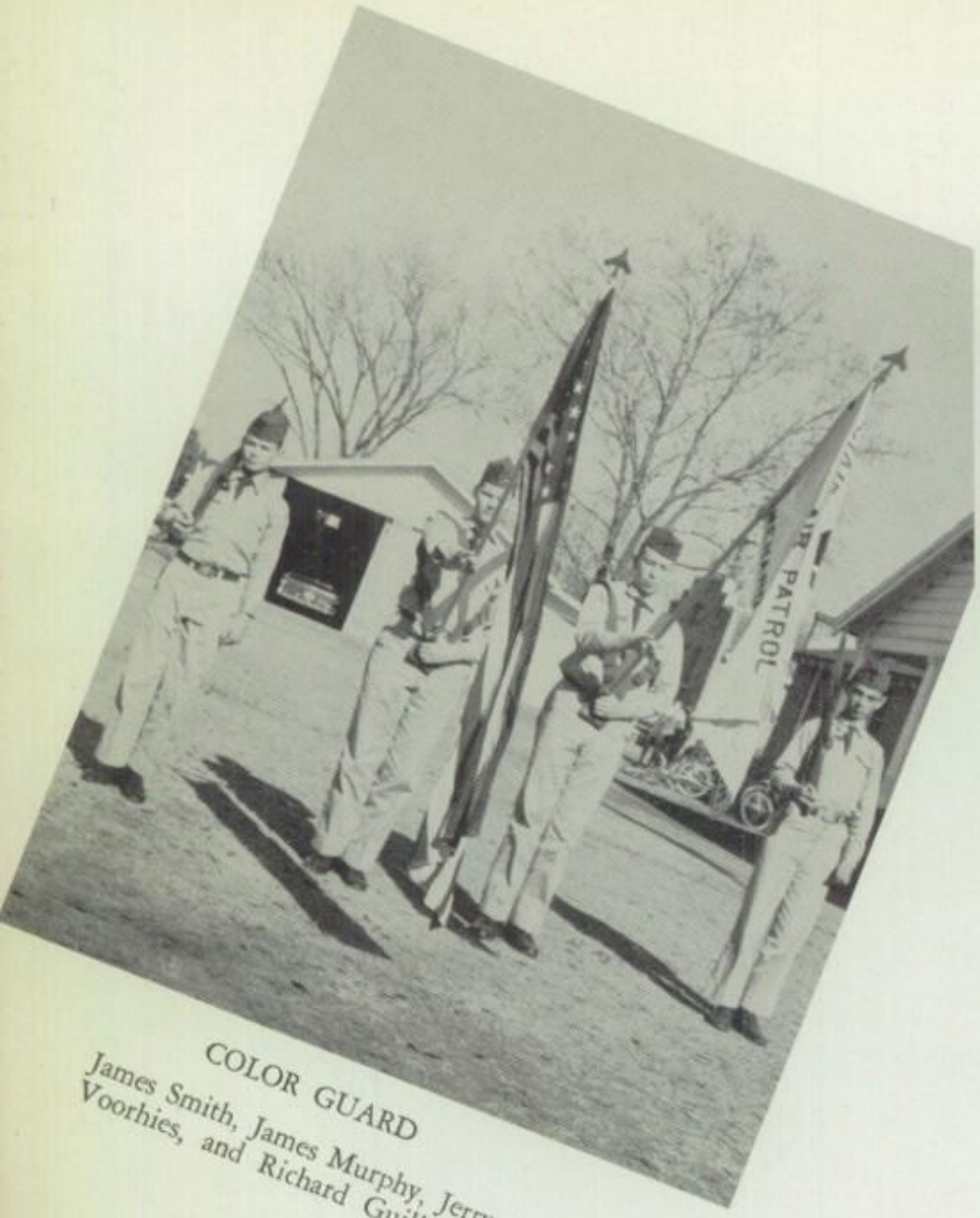
Cadet Commandant
MAJOR DONALD L. MAYEUX



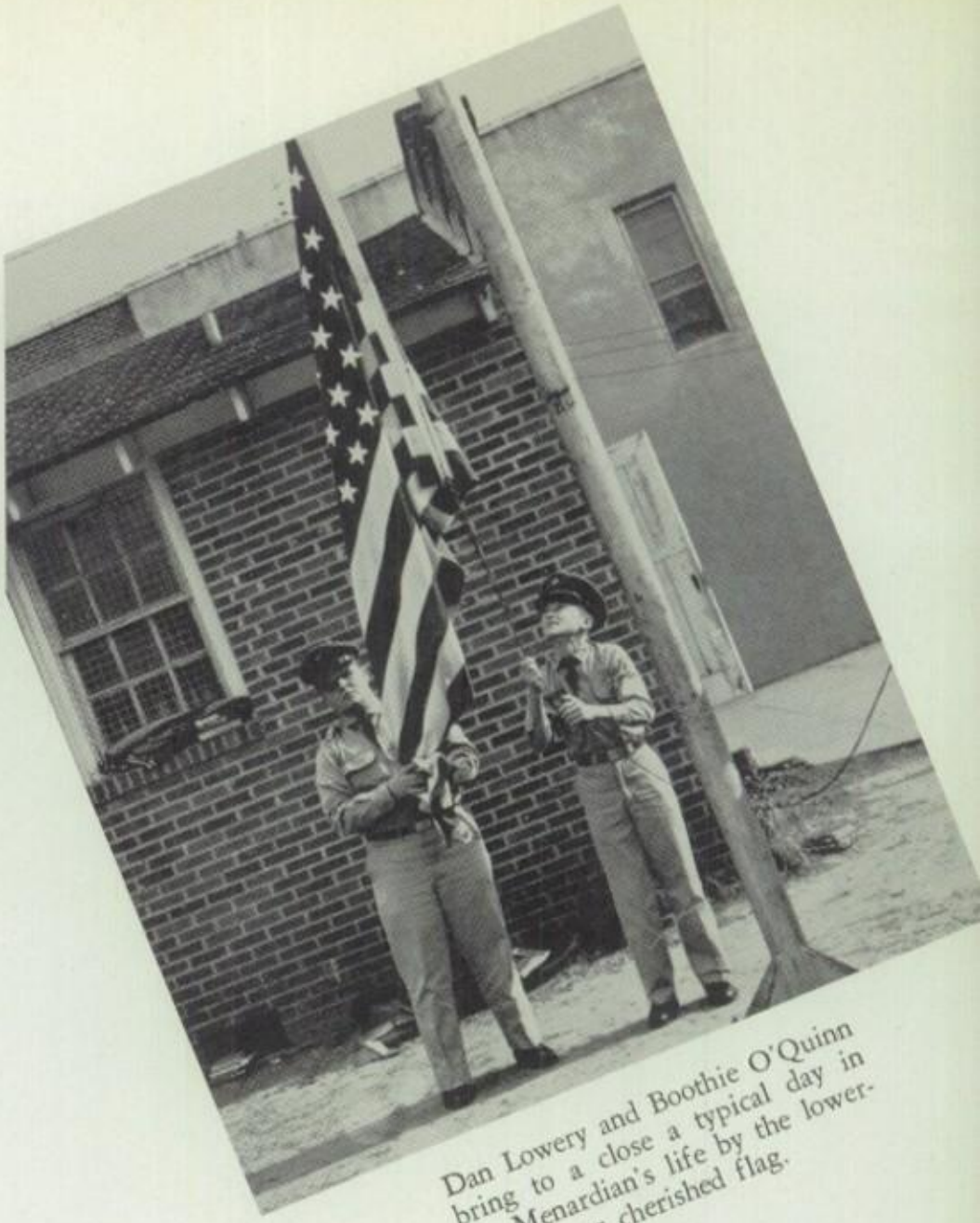
Warrant Officer Victor Daigre instructs CAP Class on Book Two, "Aircraft in Flight."



The Book Four Class, studying "Airports, Airways, and Electronics," listens to explanations by First Sergeant Andrew Hill.



COLOR GUARD
James Smith, James Murphy, Jerry Voorhies, and Richard Guillory.



Dan Lowery and Boothie O'Quinn bring to a close a typical day in the Menardian's life by the lowering of our cherished flag.

MILITARY STAFF

BOTTOM ROW: 1st Lt. David Powell, 1st Lt. Steve Freiman, 1st Lt. Philip Berniard, 1st Lt. Wesley Ardoin. TOP ROW: Capt. David Soileau, Capt. Charles Ardoin, Major Donald Mayeux.

Civil Air Patrol Officers

C/Major
Donald Mayeux

C/Capt.
Charles Ardoin

C/Capt.
David Soileau

C/1st Lt.
Steve Freiman

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David Powell

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Wesley Ardoin

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Philip Berniard

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Philip Sleet

C/2nd Lt.
Louis Montelaro

C/2nd Lt.
James Roy

C/2nd Lt.
Kenneth Ardoin

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Morris Bordelon

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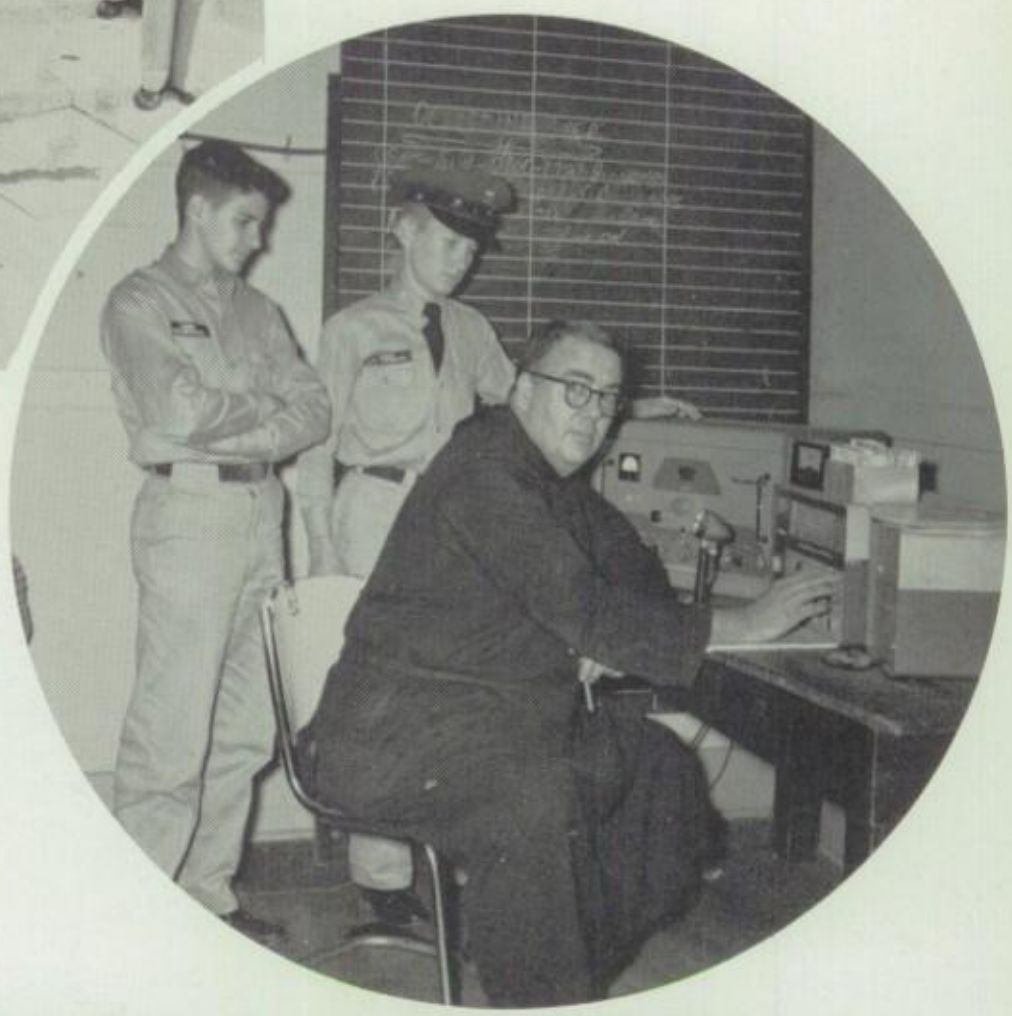
Richard Damico

DRILL TEAM in formation after winning First Place in State Drill Competition in May, 1958.

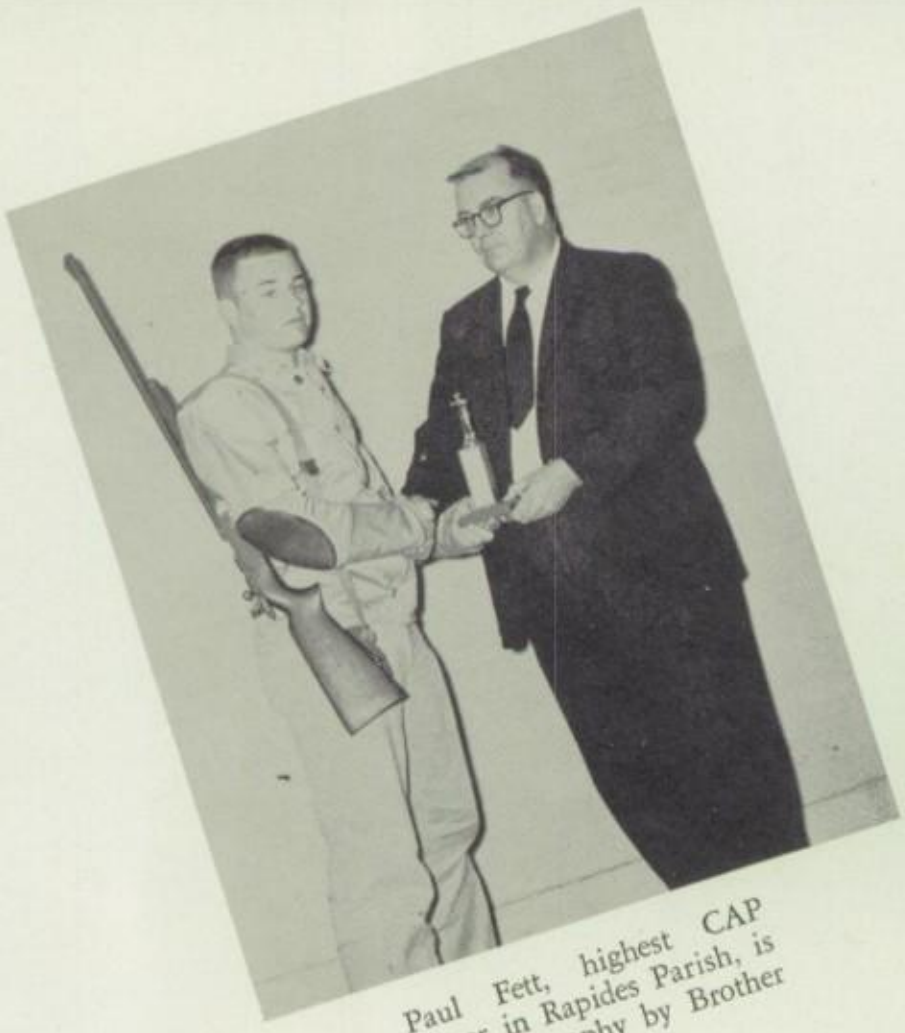


Paul Ceasar, Boothie O'Quinn, and Brother Marion, enthusiastic members of the RADIO CLUB, place a CQ to other "HAMS."

DRILL TEAM IN BLUES—BOTTOM ROW: Douglas Nigreville, Teddy Konduris, Roger Cavaness, Ronny Cresap, Jack Randall, Roy Derbonne. MIDDLE ROW: James Damico, Benford Fleury, Martin Masden, Thomas Bossier, Steve Freiman, Perry Jordan. TOP ROW: Earl Guillory, Clayton Normand, Brother Marion, Larry Clement, David Blalock, and Gunter Pinckert.

FIRST ROW: James Crooks, Richard Asscherick, Paul Fett, Richard Guraedy, David Soileau, Boothie O'Quinn. SECOND ROW: Roderic Martin, Ben Wall, Roger Cavaness, Bobbie Johnson, Larry Clements, Mike LaFleur. THIRD ROW: Elbert Lozes, Morris Bordelon, Johnny Hildenbrand, Felix Angeles, Gene DeRouen, Richard Damico, James Lilley. FOURTH ROW: Jasper Rizzo, Bert Wall, Bobbie Russell, Skeet Sleet, Joe Glorioso, Weston Porter.

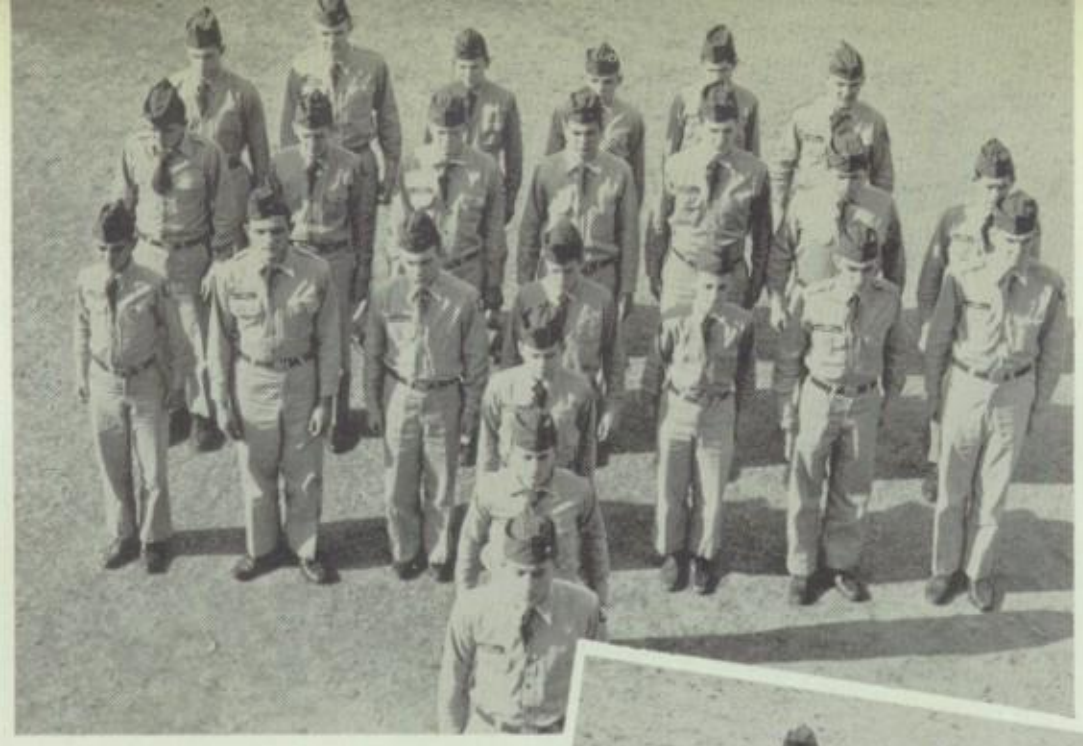
Rifle Club



Paul Fett, highest CAP scorer in Rapides Parish, is awarded trophy by Brother Marion.

Kenneth Eversull receives the trophy for the highest scorer of the Junior Deputies in the state from Sheriff Grady Kelley of Rapides Parish.

At the indoor rifle range at Camp Beauregard, Richard Guraedy, Weston Porter, Larry Clements, and Paul Fett demonstrate the four positions for rifle firing.



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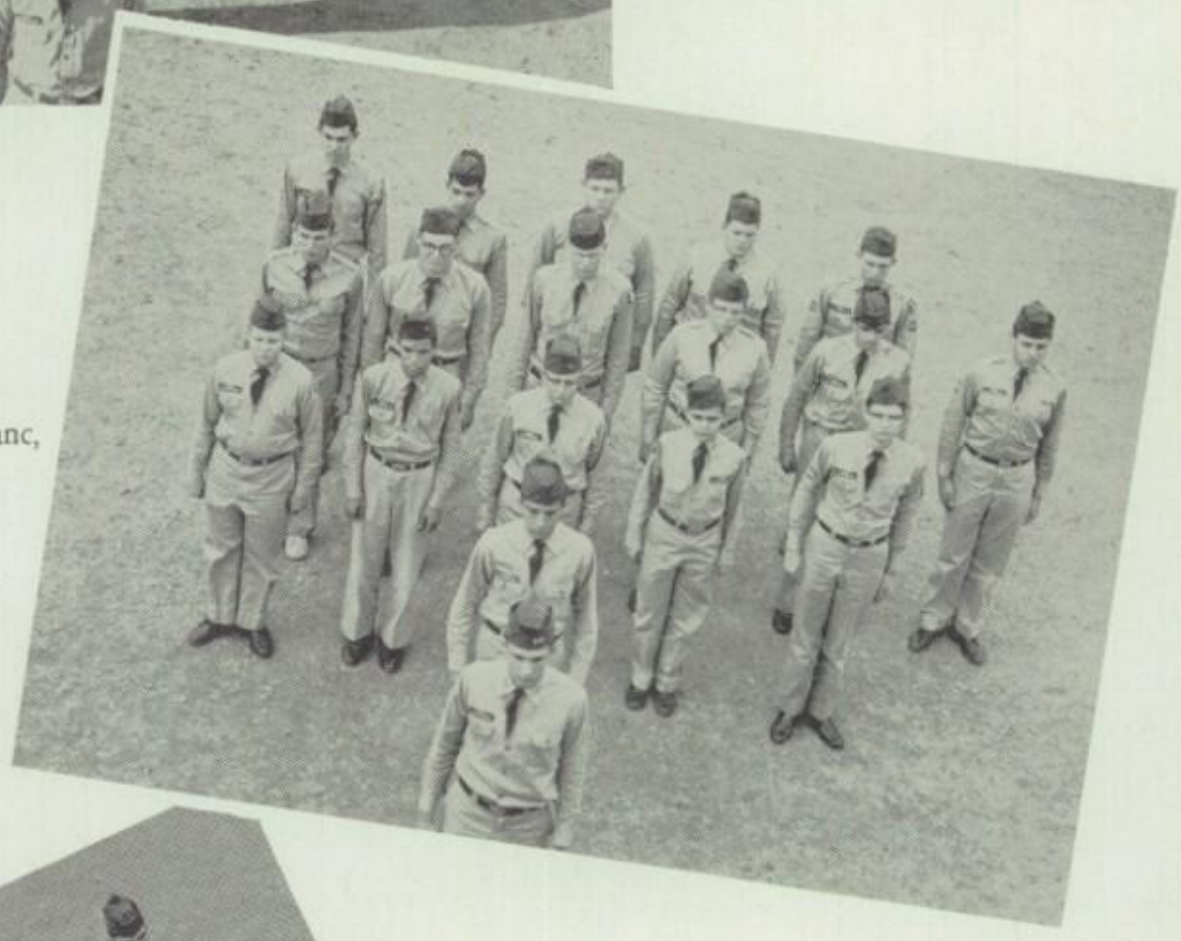
Richard Damico, Flight Leader; Morris Bordelon, Assistant Flight Leader.



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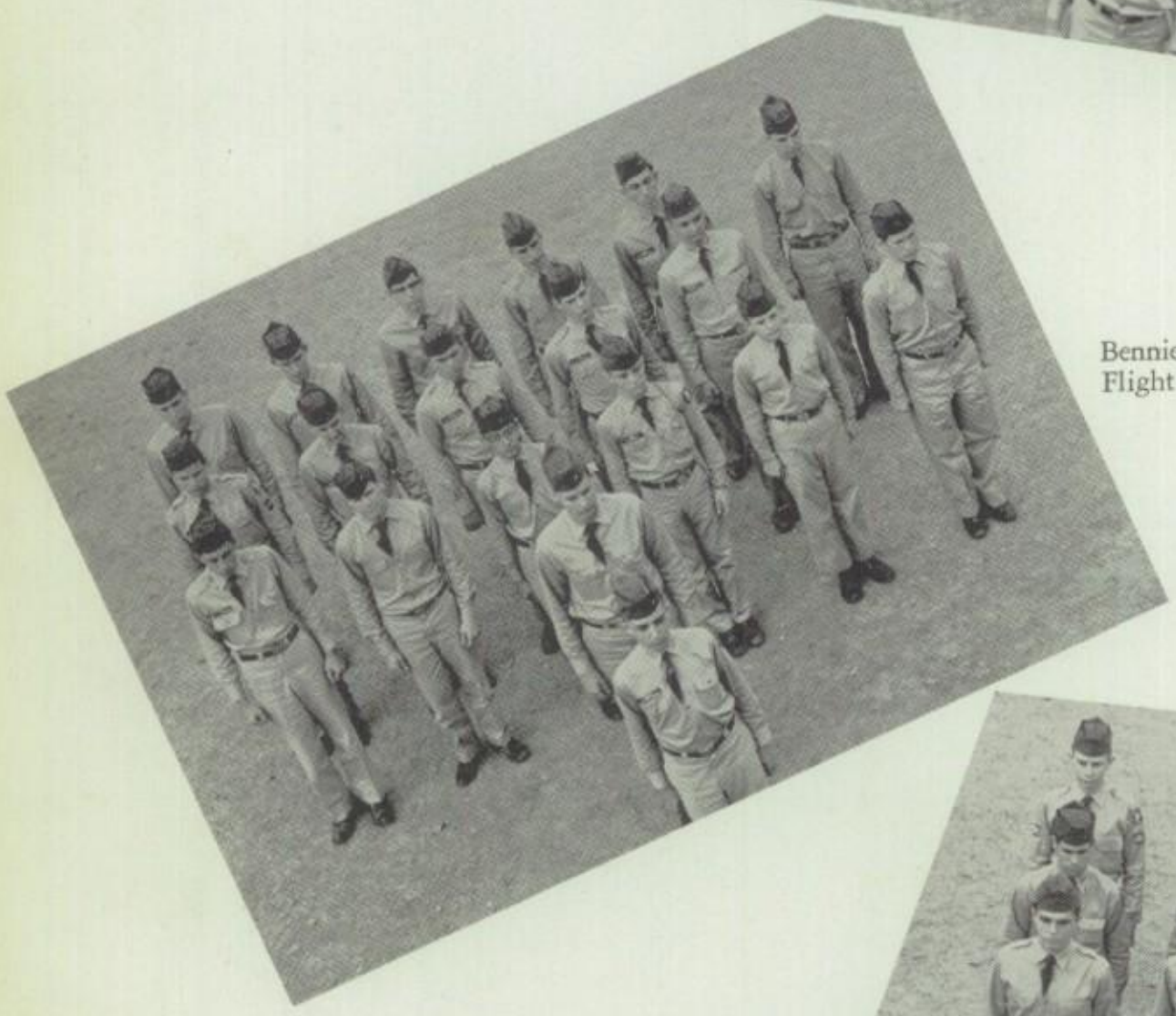
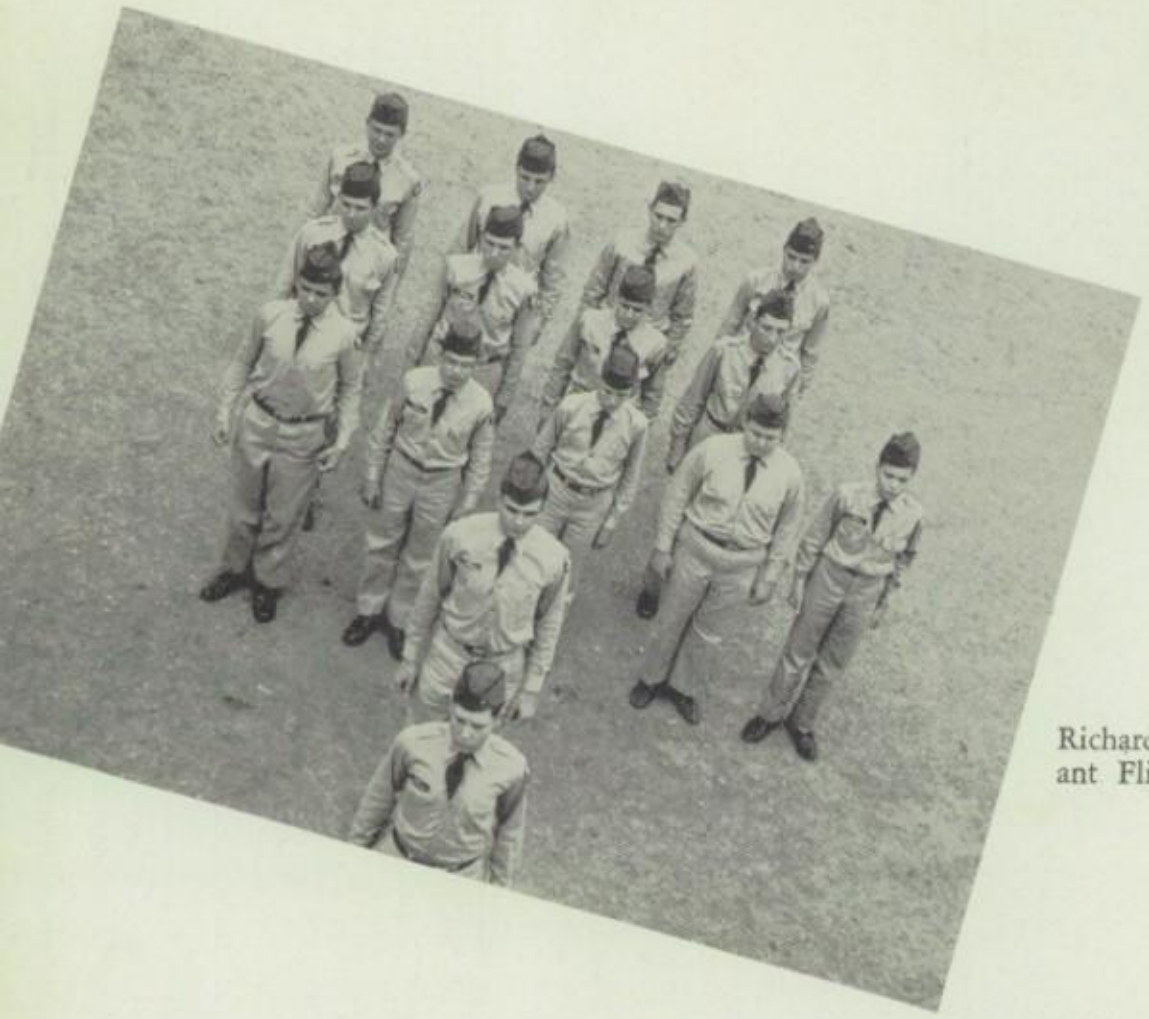
Phillip Sleet, Flight Leader; Gerald LeBlanc, Assistant Flight Leader.



FLIGHT 3
Bennie Fazzio, Flight Leader; James Murphy, Assistant Flight Leader.

FLIGHT 4
Kenneth Ardoin, Flight Leader; Donald Boniol, Assistant Flight Leader.

Major Brother Marion, Commander, Menard Civil Air Patrol Cadet Squadron.



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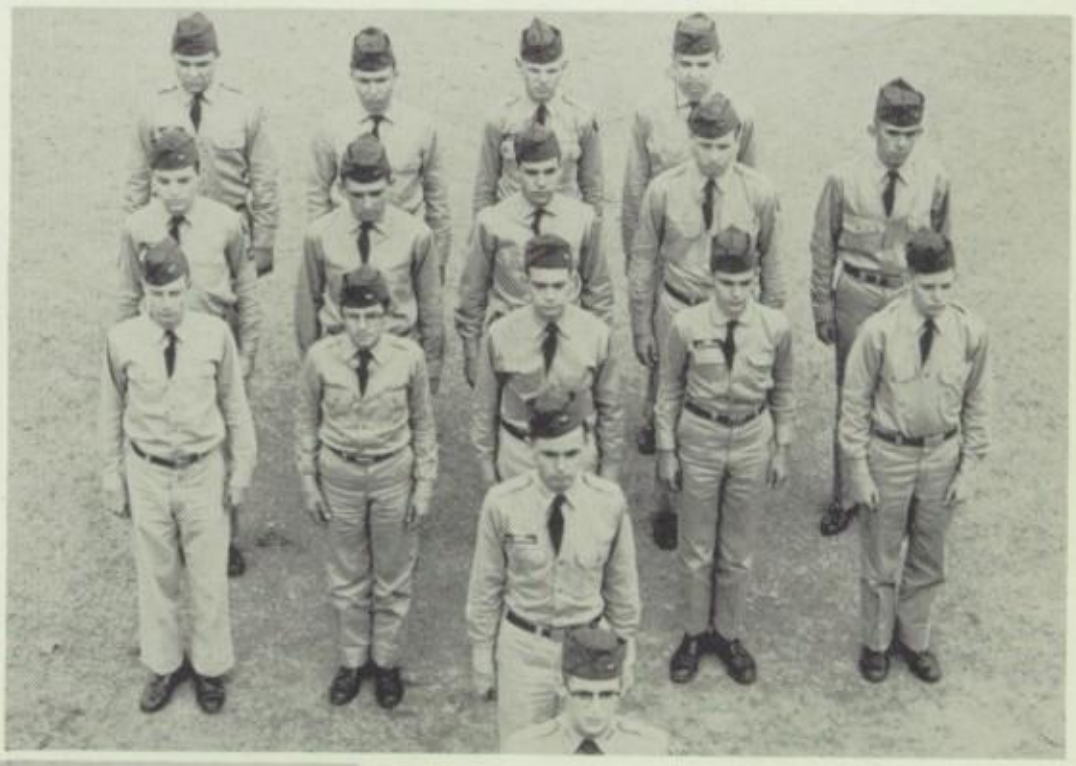
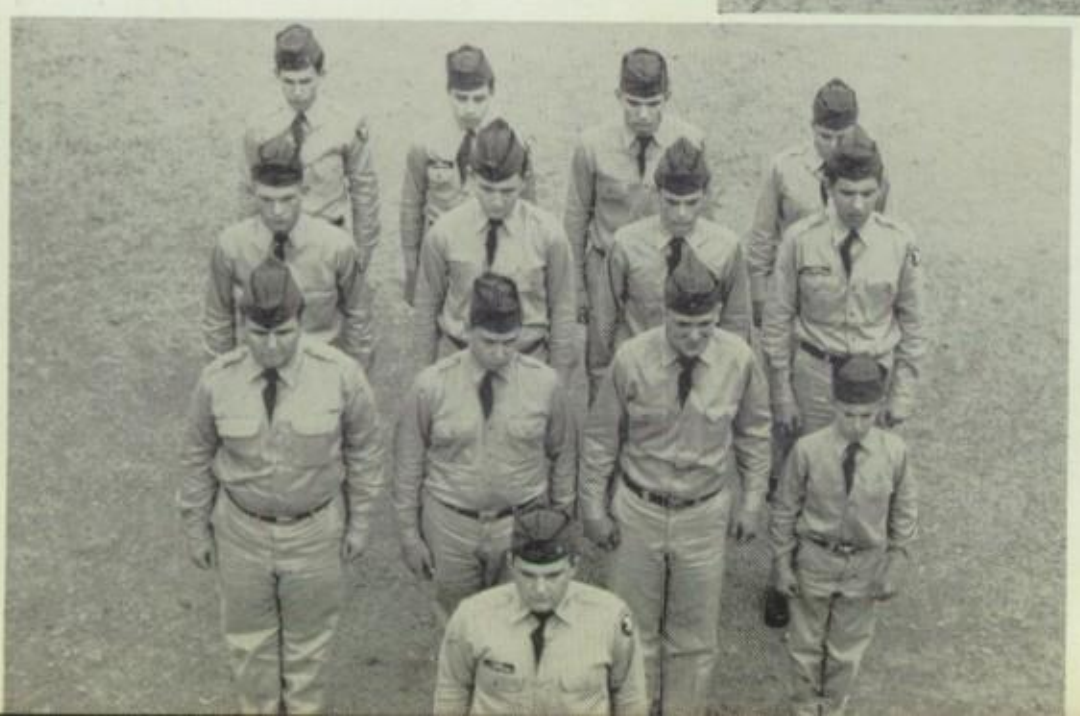
Richard Asscherick, Flight Leader; James Petrus, Assistant Flight Leader.



FLIGHT 6
James Crooks, Flight Leader; Earl Guillory, Assistant Flight Leader.



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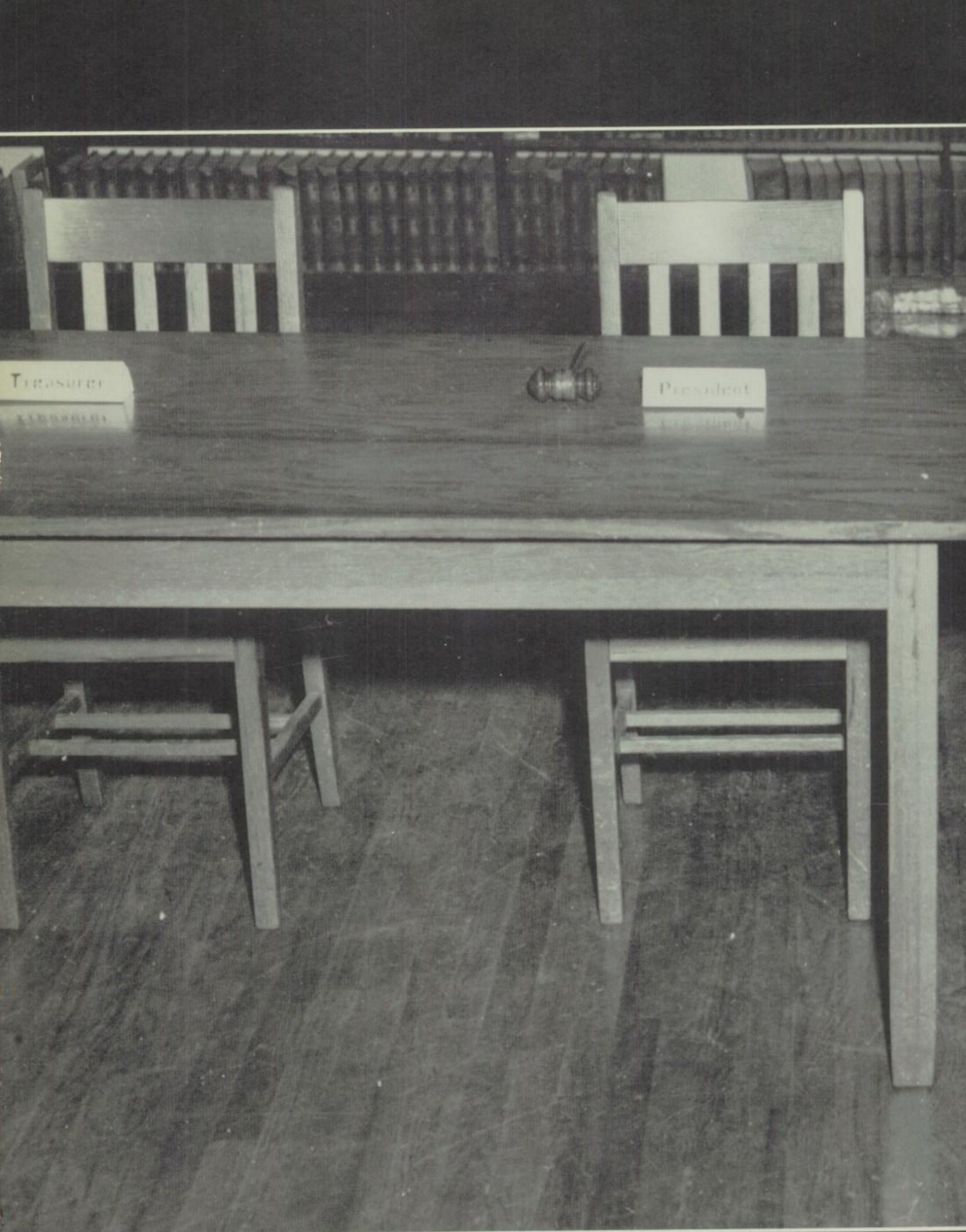
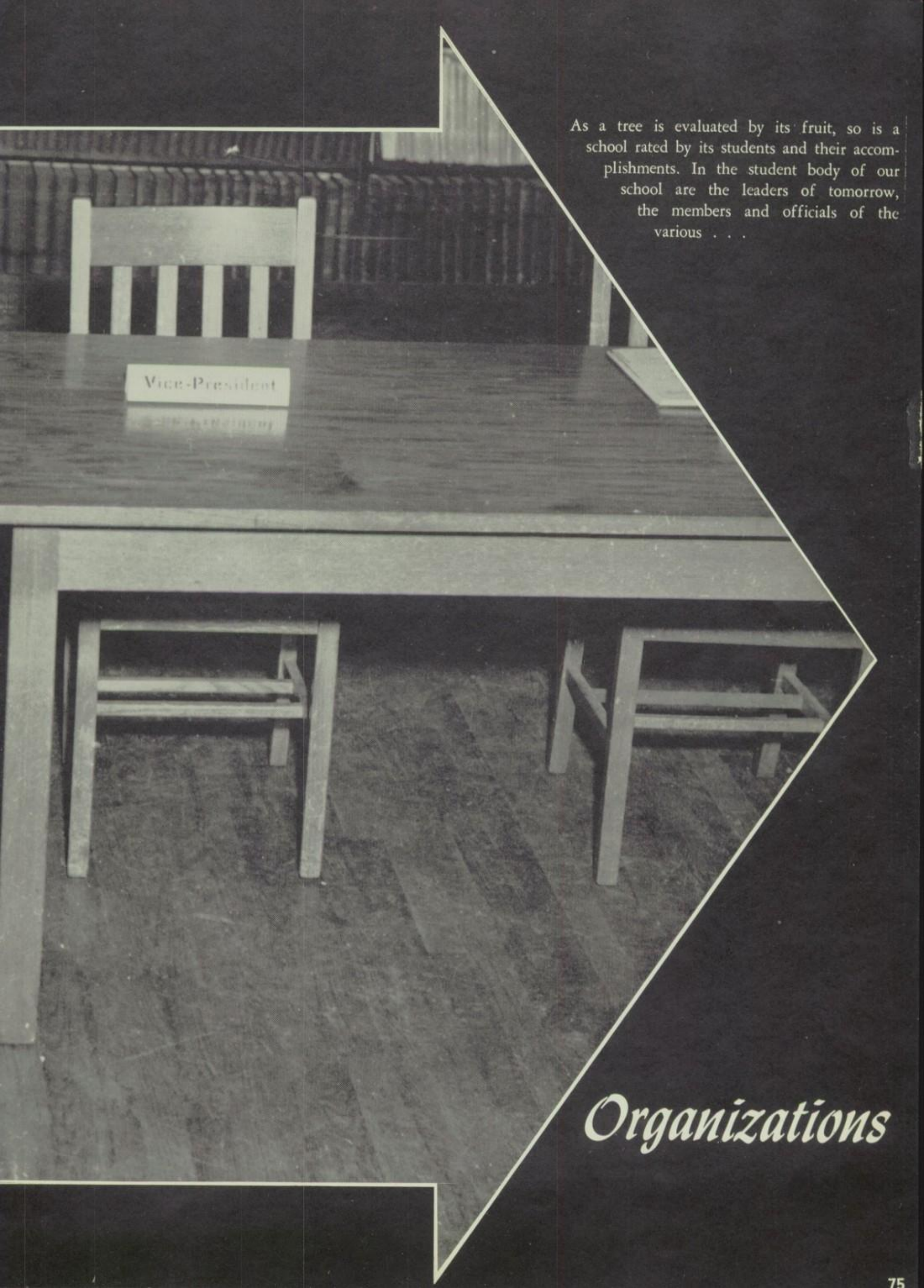
James Roy, Flight Leader.


Treasurer
President



As a tree is evaluated by its fruit, so is a school rated by its students and their accomplishments. In the student body of our school are the leaders of tomorrow, the members and officials of the various . . .

Organizations

Monsignor Aycock installs newly elected officers at annual Athletic Banquet. Woodrow Crouch, President; Kenneth Powell, Vice President; James Rigby, Secretary; Angelo Villard, Treasurer.

Brother Hugh receives generous check from Athletic Association officers.

Athletic Association

Members of Athletic Association pose for picture after one of their monthly meetings. SEATED: J. C. Chenevert, Sr., F. J. O'Halloran, Woodrow Crouch, Angelo Villard, Kenneth Powell. STANDING: A. M. Cicardo, Johnny Sanchez, Dr. Bob Boisvert, Brother Hugh, Lawrence Fullmer, Kenneth Flynn, Leroy Villard, Ernest Knobloch, B. C. Poston, Lee Scallan, Dr. James H. Stone, and Stafford Michiels.

Mothers' Club

OFFICERS: Mrs. Anna Wagner, Parliamentarian; Mrs. William Crooks, Secretary; Mrs. James Petrus, President; Mrs. Phillip Sleet, Vice President; Mrs. John Baker, Treasurer.

OUR HOME ROOM MOTHERS: Mrs. Mary Baudin, 9B; Mrs. F. J. O'Halloran, 12B; Mrs. Horace Clements, 12A; Mrs. O. J. Wetherford, 10A; Mrs. H. J. Vanderlick, 12B; Mrs. James Stone, 9A; Mrs. Paul Fett, 11B; Mrs. Clifford L. Lawrence, 10B; Mrs. Ida Bordelon, 11B; Mrs. Clifford Schnexnayder, 9A; Mrs. F. J. Vanderlick, 10B; Mrs. George Wethers, 9B; Mrs. James Laneis, 9A; Mrs. Victor Mahfouz, 10A.

Brother Hugh laughlingly receives Christmas gift from the Mothers' Club presented by Mrs. James Petrus.

Mrs. William Crooks, Mrs. Blanchard Texada, Mrs. M. J. Bize, Mrs. Zeapher Dean, Mrs. Phillip Sleet, and Mrs. Stanley Hromadka, the refreshment committee, pose merrily at the Mothers' Club Christmas party.

DONALD LYNN MAYEUX, Governor of Louisiana, Mississippi, West Tennessee District, Key Club International.

OFFICERS: James Petrus, Secretary-Treasurer; Jackie Barnidge, President; Darrel Glankler, Vice President.

Key Club

Key Clubbers laboring at one of their many service projects of the year.

MEMBERS—FIRST ROW: Michael Guillory, James Smith, Kenneth Ardoin, Richard Asscherick, Donald Webb, Jack Randall. SECOND ROW: James Crooks, Martin Masden, Jerry Bize, Elbert Lozes, Steve Freiman, Billy Lintott. THIRD ROW: Phillip Sleet, David Soileau, Richard Texada, Charles Ardoin, Bert Wall, Gerald LeBlanc. FOURTH ROW: James Petrus, Bobby Boisvert, Darrel Glankler, Earl Guillory, John Lintott, Richard Guraedy. FIFTH ROW: Clifford Lawrence, James Todd, Michael Percy, Donald Mayeux, Jackie Barnidge, David Powell. Brother Max, S.C., Faculty Advisor.

GINGER NORMAND

Ginger was selected by Menard Key Club to reign as their sweetheart for 1959.

The Boarders and their dates seem to be enjoying themselves at the Key Club Dance.

The dreamy music provides romantic mood for dancers.

Doug Ardoin and "The Boogie Kings" furnish good juke for the third straight year.

Charlie Ardoin and Kipper Lawrence hang decorations for the big night.

FIRST ROW: John Cook, Bobby Johnson, Roger Cavaness, Joseph Mathews. SECOND ROW: Roger Martin, William Crooks, Bobby Russell, Billy Lintott, James Baudin, M. J. LaBorde. THIRD ROW: James Renz, George Verzwyvelt, Claude Berry, Walter Vanderlick, James DeKeyzer, David Vanderlick. FOURTH ROW: Mr. Issac Odom, Agent, Paul Fett, Harry Flynn, James Lilley, John Andries, J. C. Vanderlick.

George displays the tools he won in a tractor-driving contest.

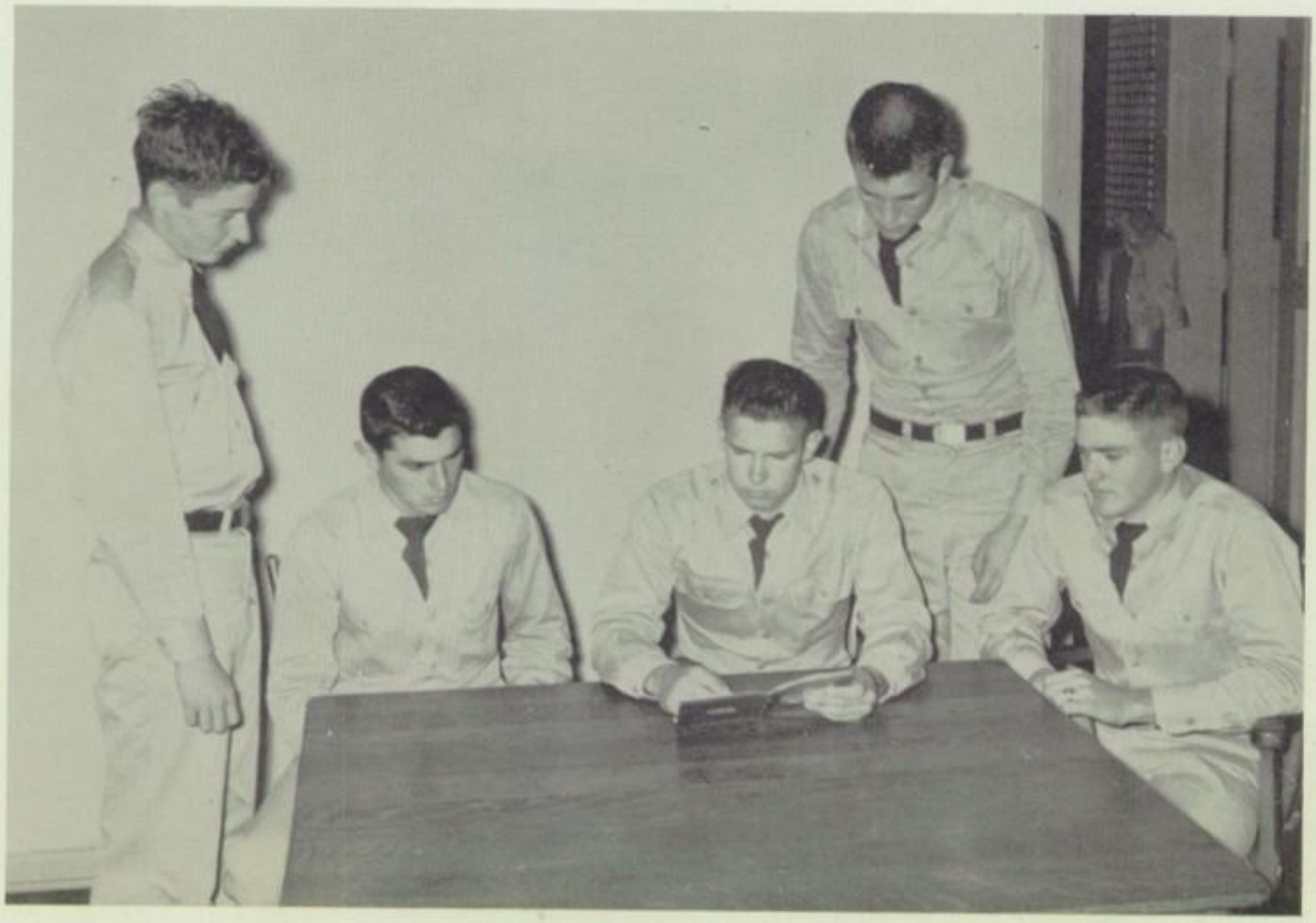
James DeKeyzer carefully attends his field crop project.

George Verzwyvelt exhibits his skill at driving tractors.

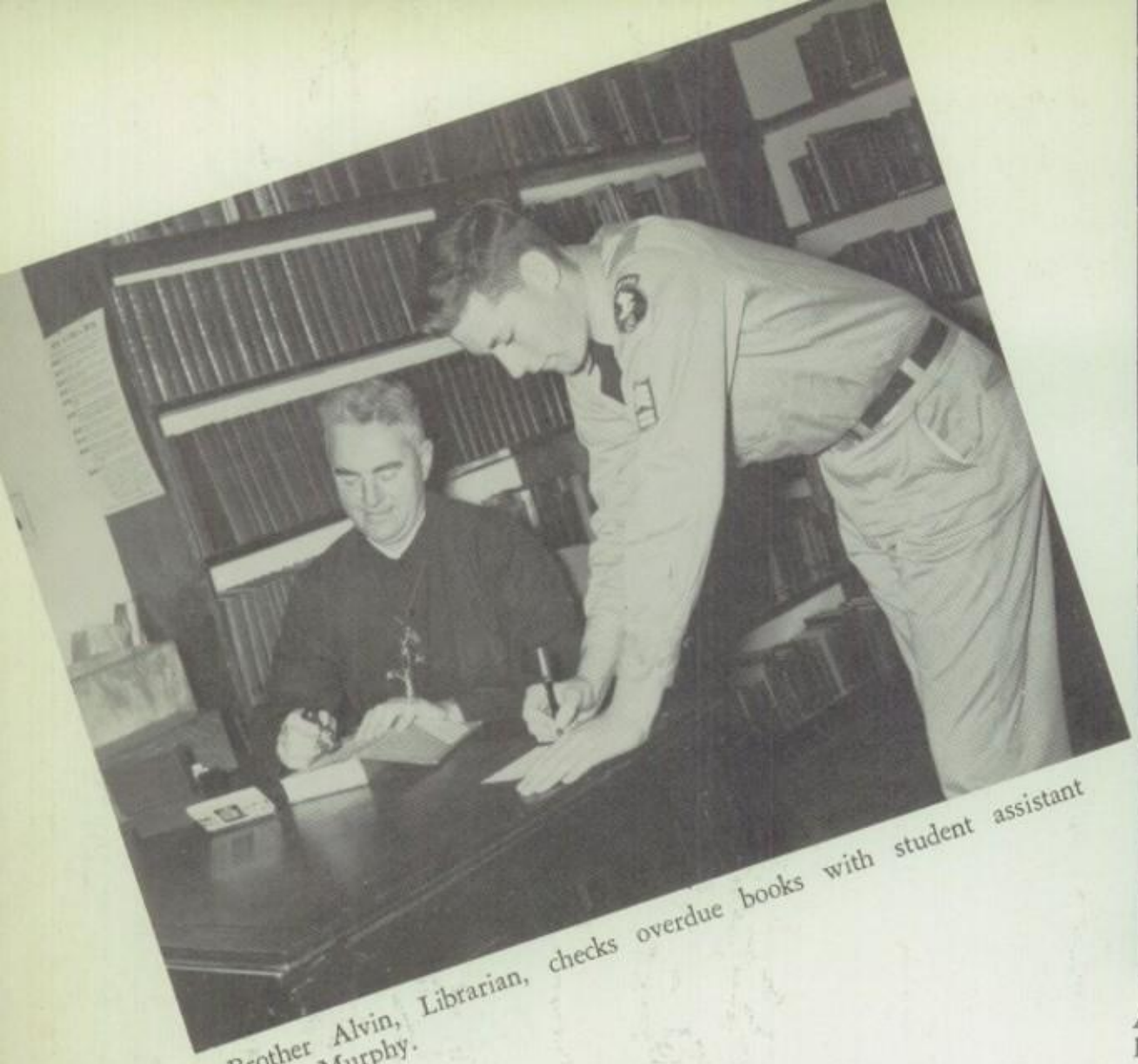
David Vanderlick poses with his prize-winning beef calf.

4-H Club

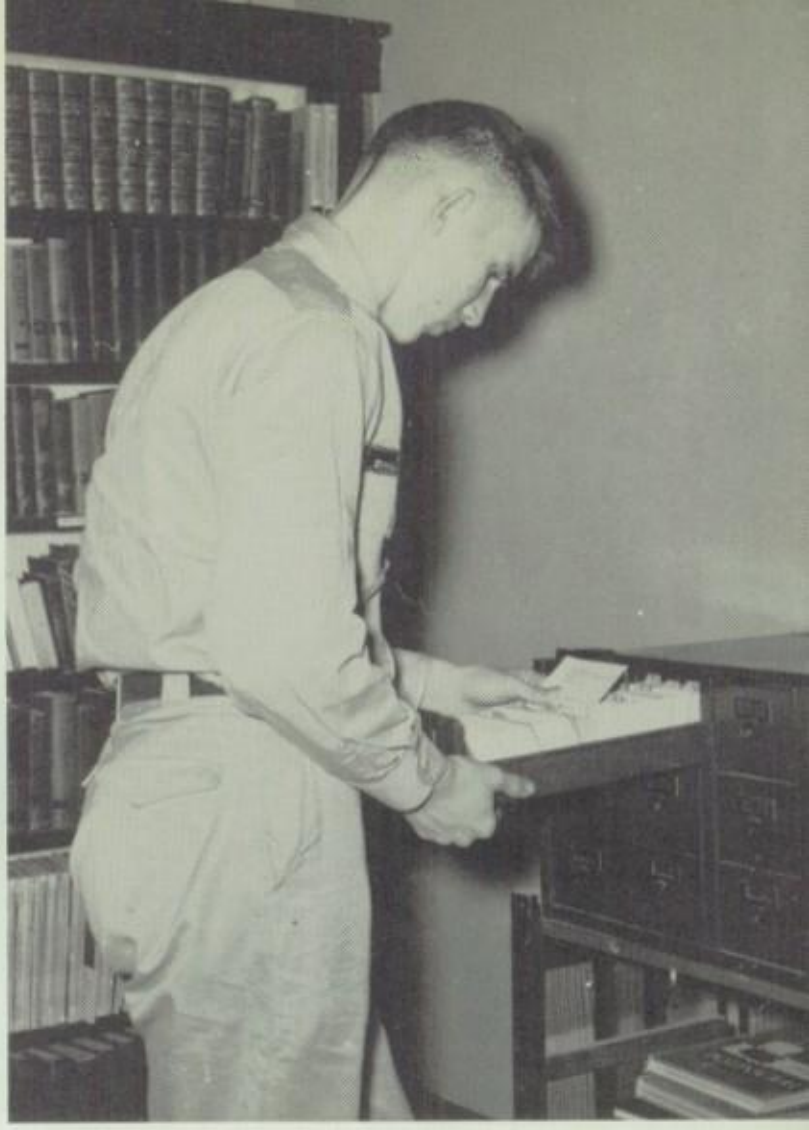
J. C. Vanderlick, a perennial winner at livestock shows, proudly displays his pair of calves.



OFFICERS: Walter Vanderlick and J. C. Vanderlick, Songleaders; George Verzwyvelt, President; John Andries, Vice President; and David Vanderlick, Secretary.



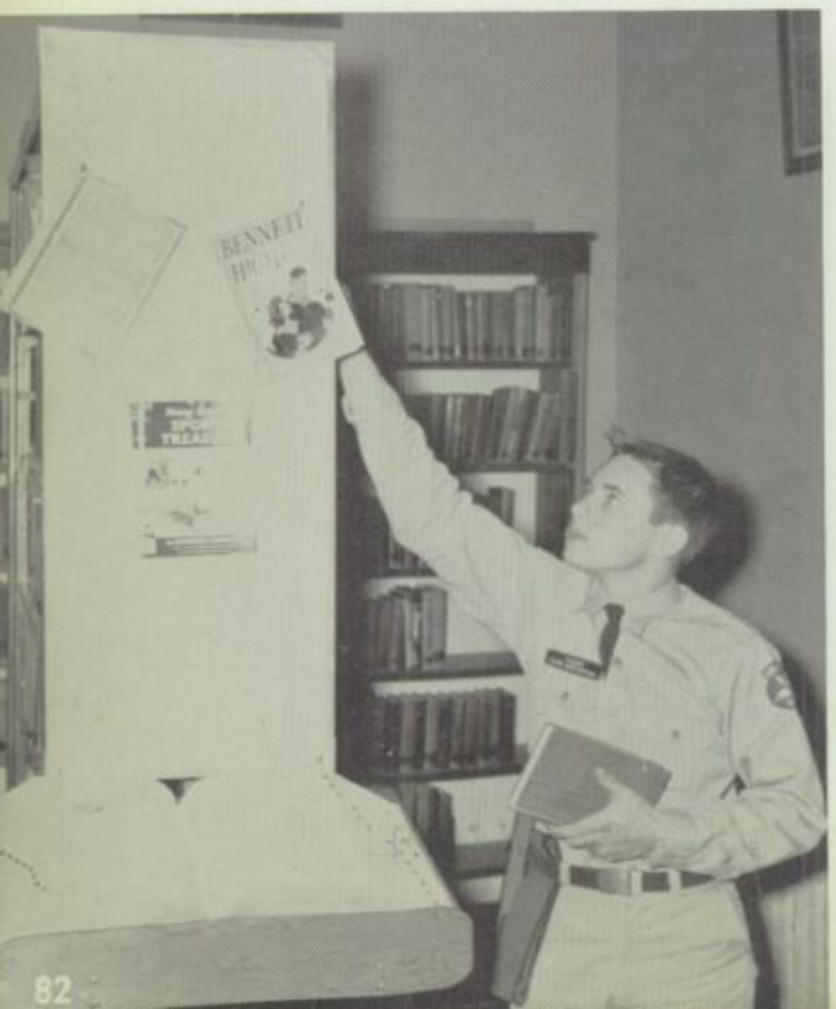
Brother Alvin, Librarian, checks overdue books with student assistant James Murphy.



Assistant librarian, James LaFleur, consults card catalog file for information.

For the past three years dependable James LaFleur has faithfully handled this daily library chore.

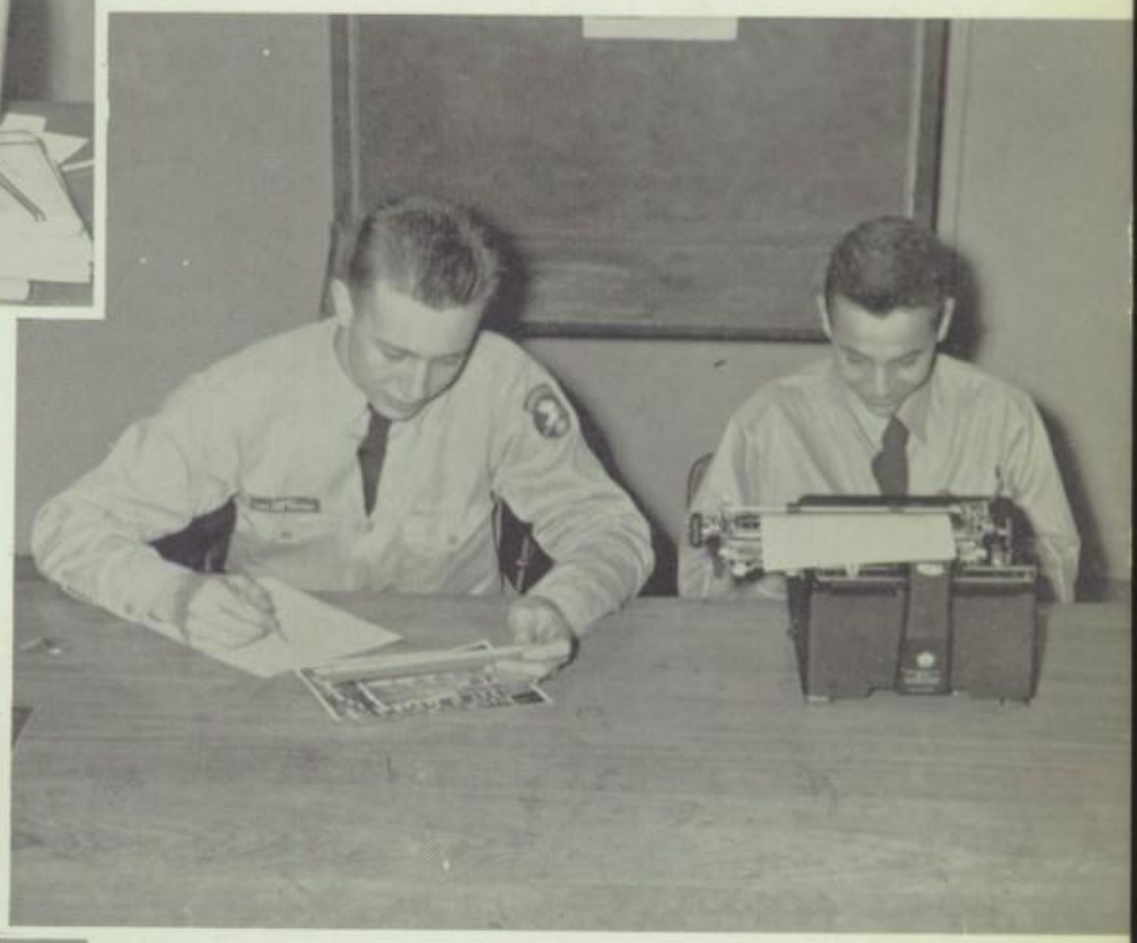
Kenneth Eversull replaces books on shelves in correct order.



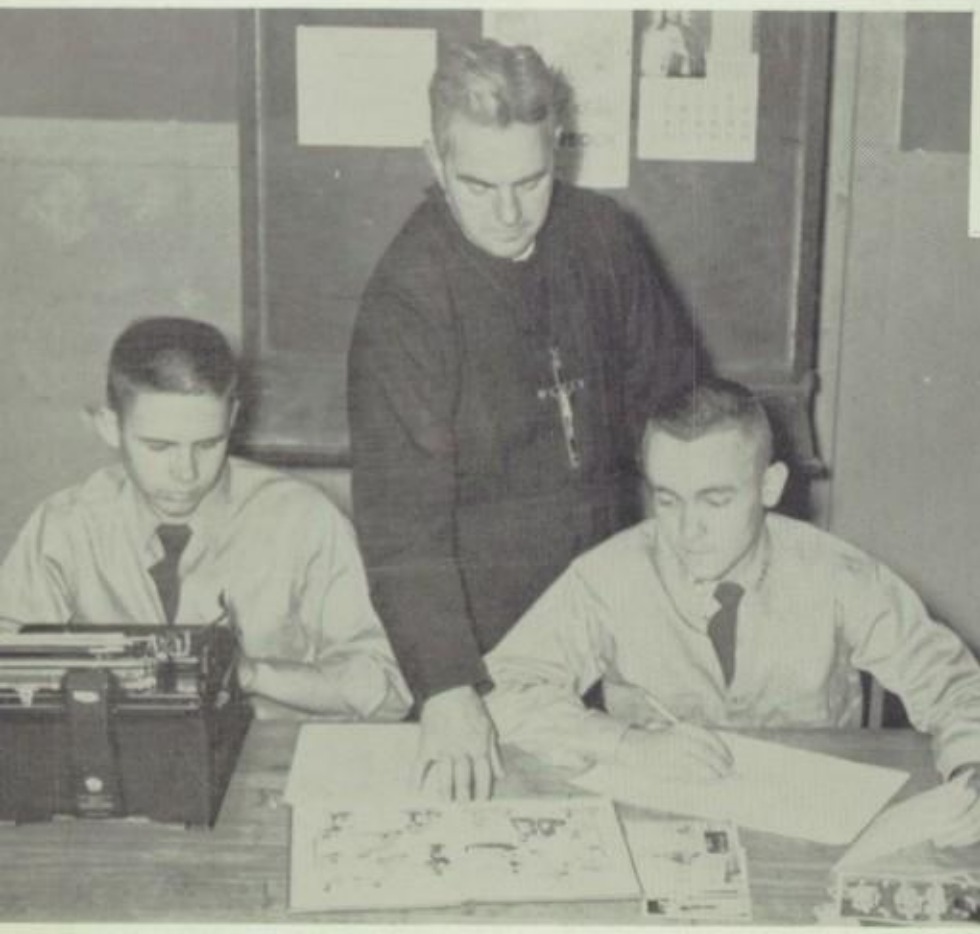
Students make constant use of library resources.

Yearbook Staff

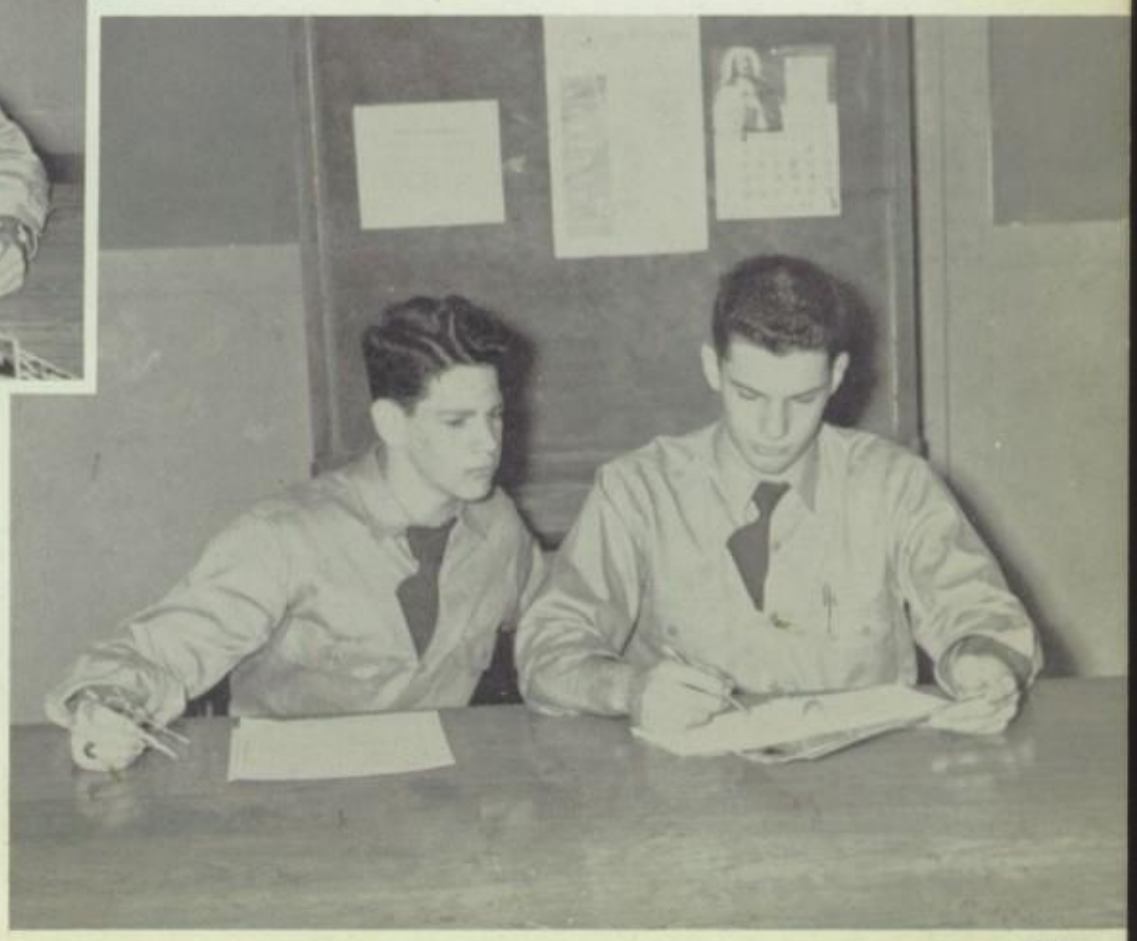
MILITARY
Wesley Ardoin and Donald Mayeux plan a division page with the aid of photographer V. A. Lamonte.



ORGANIZATIONS
David Powell and Louis Montelaro busily prepare another page.



ATHLETICS
John Lintott and Philip Berniard discuss their rough draft with Brother Alvin, Yearbook Advisor.



ADVERTISEMENTS
Donald Webb and Darrel Glankler check the page number of their layout with the dummy book.

Mothers of the three newest Eagle Scouts in Alexandria-Pineville pin the badge of rank on their sons at the Choctaw District court of Honor. From left: Paul Fett Jr., Mrs. P. J. Fett, Teddy Weatherford, Mrs. O. R. Weatherford, Chuck Breaux, and Mrs. J. P. Breaux.

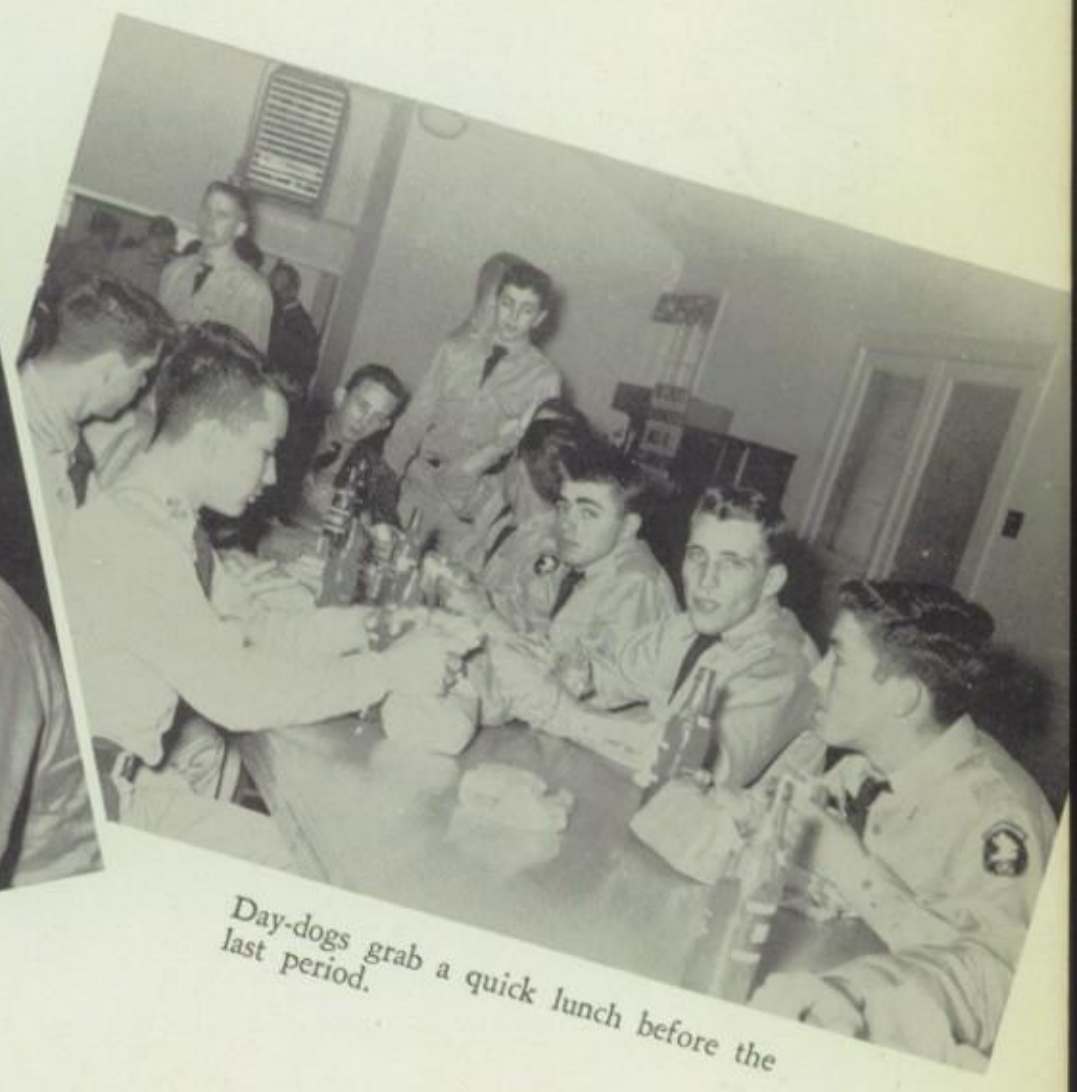
Mrs. P. J. Fett proudly pins the Eagle Scout Badge on her son, Paul Fett Jr.

Attackapas Council Executive Jack Grady explains the meaning of the new Explorer Scout insignia to Chuck Breaux while Mr. Robert C. Bowers pins badge on his uniform.

The Cafeteria is staffed by Minnie Bolton, Cook; Mrs. Emily Foret, Dietician; and workers Noah Ducrepont, Steve Gauthier, Clyde Brister, Paul Bellino, Charles Crooks, Ralph Brister, James Verzwyvelt, and Aubrey Basco.

Cafeteria

The Boarders say the meals are as good as those back home.



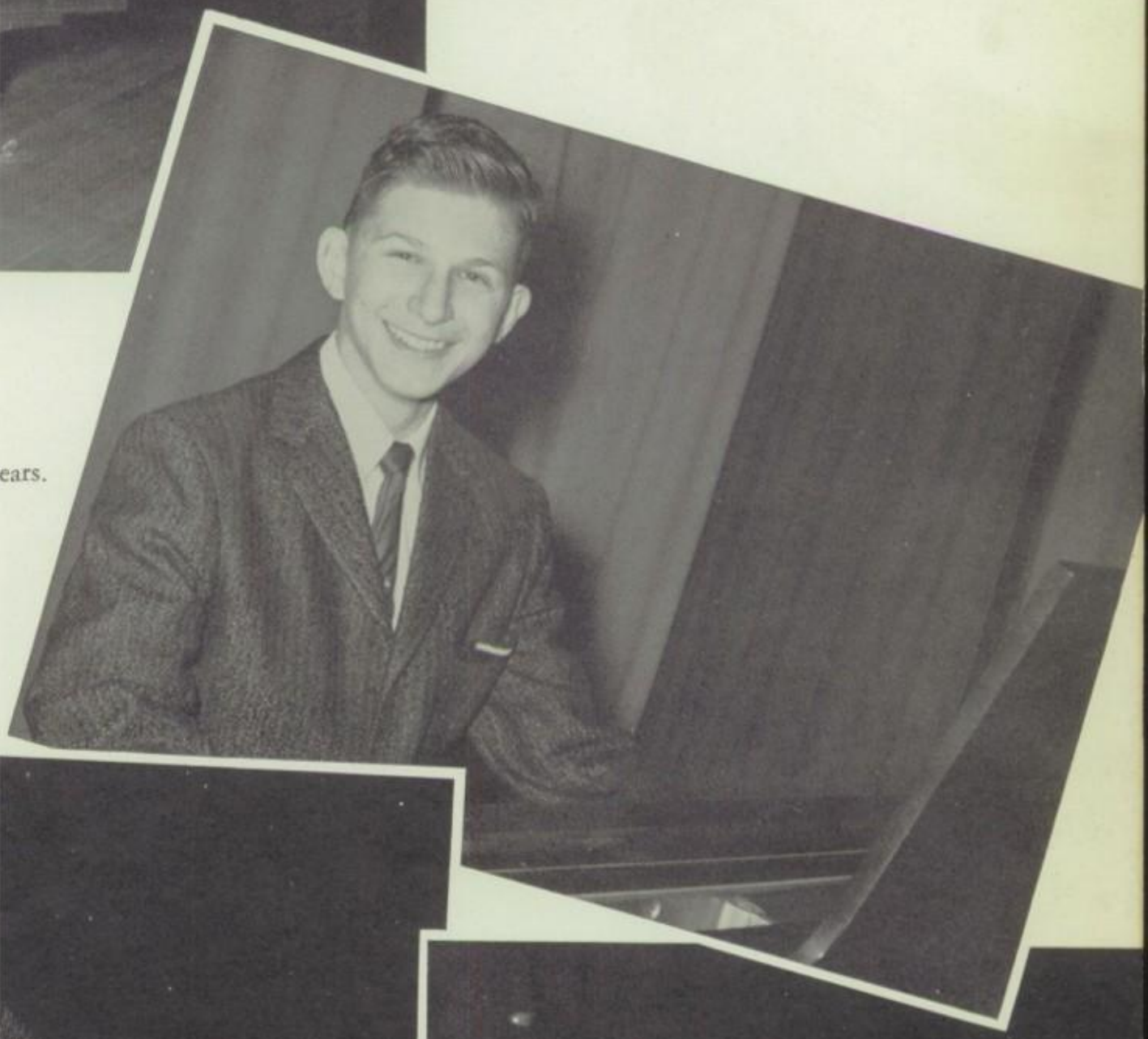
Day-dogs grab a quick lunch before the last period.

The Pineville boys eat heartily as usual.

The PROVIDENCE BOOSTERS provide pep and loyal support to all the Menard teams.

CHEERLEADERS Jo Ann Longo, Lila Vicknair, Bobby Willis, Captain Ginger Normand, Clara Lyons, Barbara Saucier.

George Lamaze renders a sprightly piece called "Cuckoo."



Joey Mitchell has tickled the ivories for six years.

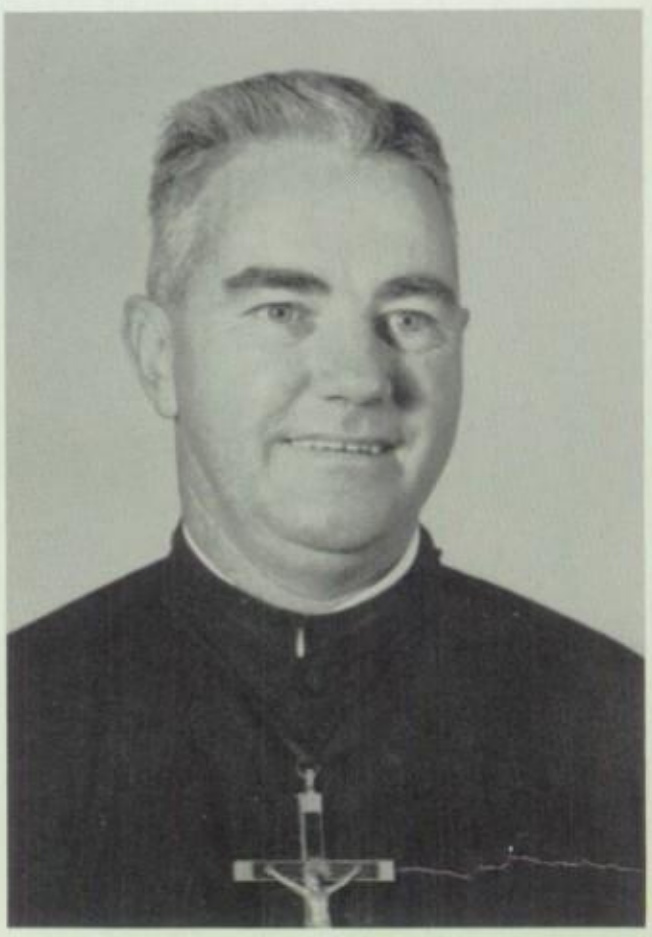
James Lanius performs at his first piano recital.

After studying music for nine years Paul Caesar displays his talents at the Providence recital.

Confraternity

The officers of the Junior-Senior Confraternity meet to plan one of their monthly activities. Richard Texada, Secretary; David Powell, Vice President; Darrel Glankler, President; and Charles Ardoin, Treasurer.

Confraternity officers of the Freshman-Sophomore classes formulate plans for an interesting project. A. P. Laborde, Secretary; Bobby Boisvert, Vice President; Gerald LeBlanc, President; and Pete Mahfouz, Treasurer.



BROTHER ALVIN
Moderator

Benny Fleury, Doug Nigreville, and James DeSelle pack Christmas baskets for the poor and the needy as a charitable act of the Confraternity.

Confraternity Activities

The officers of the Co-ordinate Council planning for the Living Rosary are Charlene David, Treasurer; Joan Barker, Secretary; David Powell, Vice President; and Darrel Glankler, President.

Menard and Providence students offer symbols of God's gifts at the annual Thanksgiving Day Mass.

Students attend the monthly Holy Hour which is sponsored by the Confraternity and held in the school chapel from 7:00 to 8:00 P.M.

Pat Scallan and Matt Lanius, pictured with a young patient, are regular helpers for Father Clayton at the new school for spastic children.

Students work diligently to insure a big success.

Monsignor Olinger leads in the recitation of the Rosary.

Menard Confraternity combines with Providence Sodality to form the living Rosary.

The Presentation depicted by the students.

The Finding of the Child Jesus.

Students of Menard and Providence pay their annual tribute to Mary as "Queen of May."

The officers of the Sodality and Confraternity who have participated in the crowning are: James Petrus, George Verzwyvelt, Jerry Deville, Tommy Sanders, Claudia Palermo, Carmen Gallardo, Joan Barker, and Rosemary Palermo.

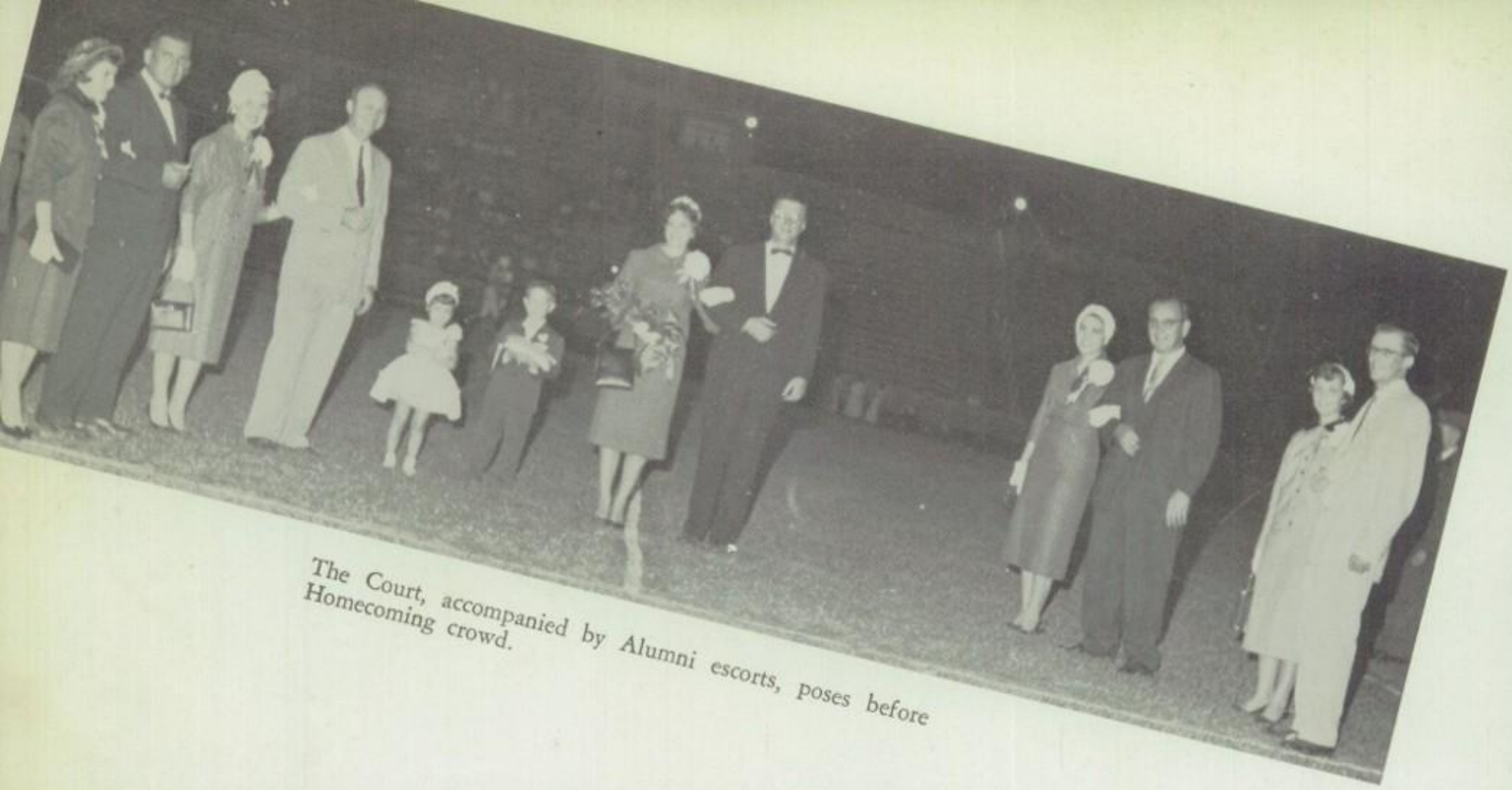
An honor guard is formed as Tommy Sanders, President of the Menard Confraternity, and Claudia Palermo, Prefect of the Providence Sodality, proceed to the May Crowning.

Now as all watch, Our Lady is solemnly crowned "Queen of May."

North American

Among the many activities in which Menard Students participate, the homecoming parade is an eagerly awaited annual event. Colorfully decorated automobiles, the Queen's Court, an exciting football game, and a romantic dance all add to the glory and spirit of this gala occasion, one of Menard's many . . .

Activities



The Court, accompanied by Alumni escorts, poses before Homecoming crowd.

Dr. Bruce Wallace, Jr. escorts Queen Charlene Tumminello to the reviewing stand.

Menard cadets form guard of honor for Homecoming Court.

Mr. Aylwin Lachney and Miss Carolyn Campo.

Mr. Tom Mathews and Miss Delphine Blankenship.

HOMECOMING QUEEN AND COURT
Countess Delphine Blankenship, Princess Nona Ramsaeur, Queen Charlene Tumminello, Duchess Lila Vicknair, Maid of Honor Carolyn Campo, Crown Bearer John Tumminello II, and Flower Girl Debra Scallan.

Mr. John Bruyninckx and Miss Nona Ramsaeur.

Mr. James Flournoy and Miss Lila Vicknair.

Countess Delphine Blankenship and escort Ernie Chenevert.

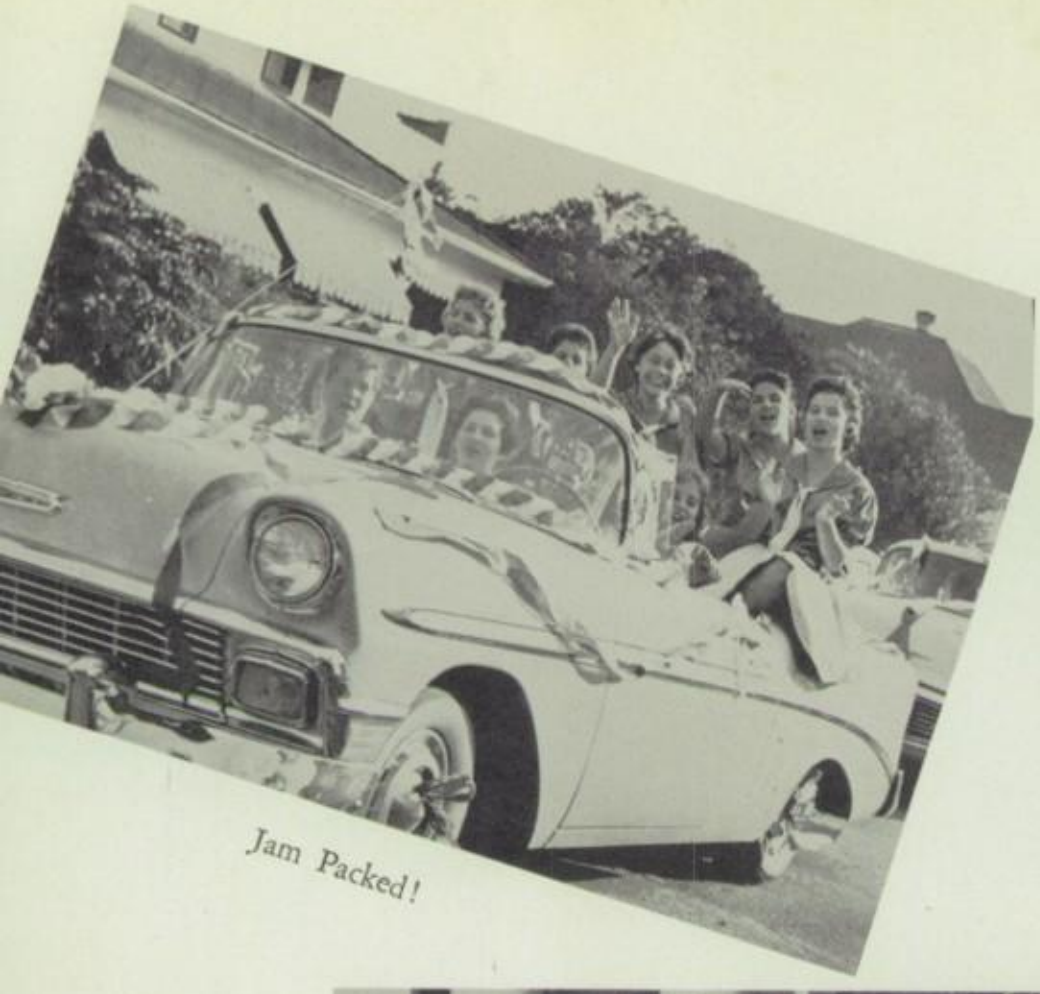
Princess Nona Ramsaeur and escort John Hromadka.

Homecoming Queen and her court are presented in Venetian Room of Hotel Bentley.

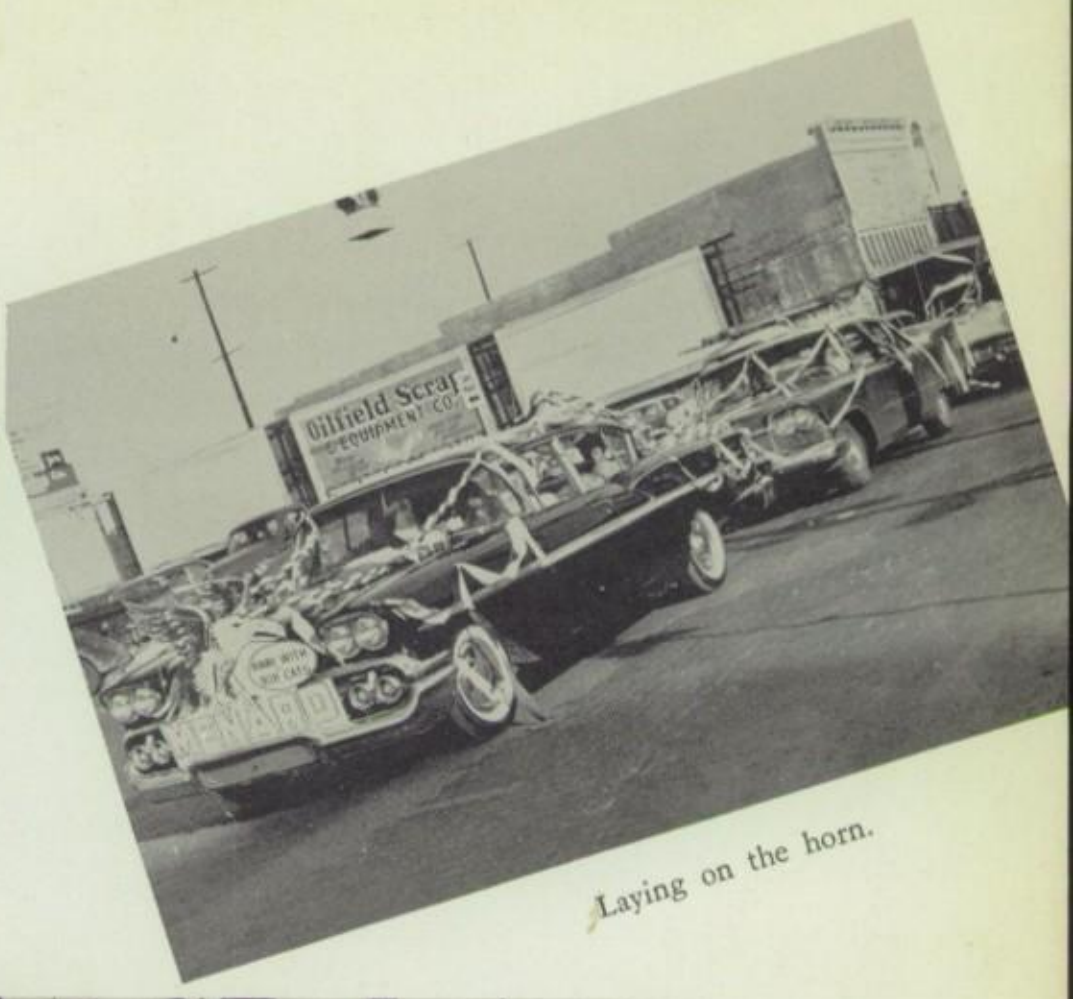
Queen Charlene Tumminello and escort Philip Carlino.

Duchess Lila Vicknair and escort Bob Rigby.

Maid of Honor Carolyn Campo and escort David Roberts.

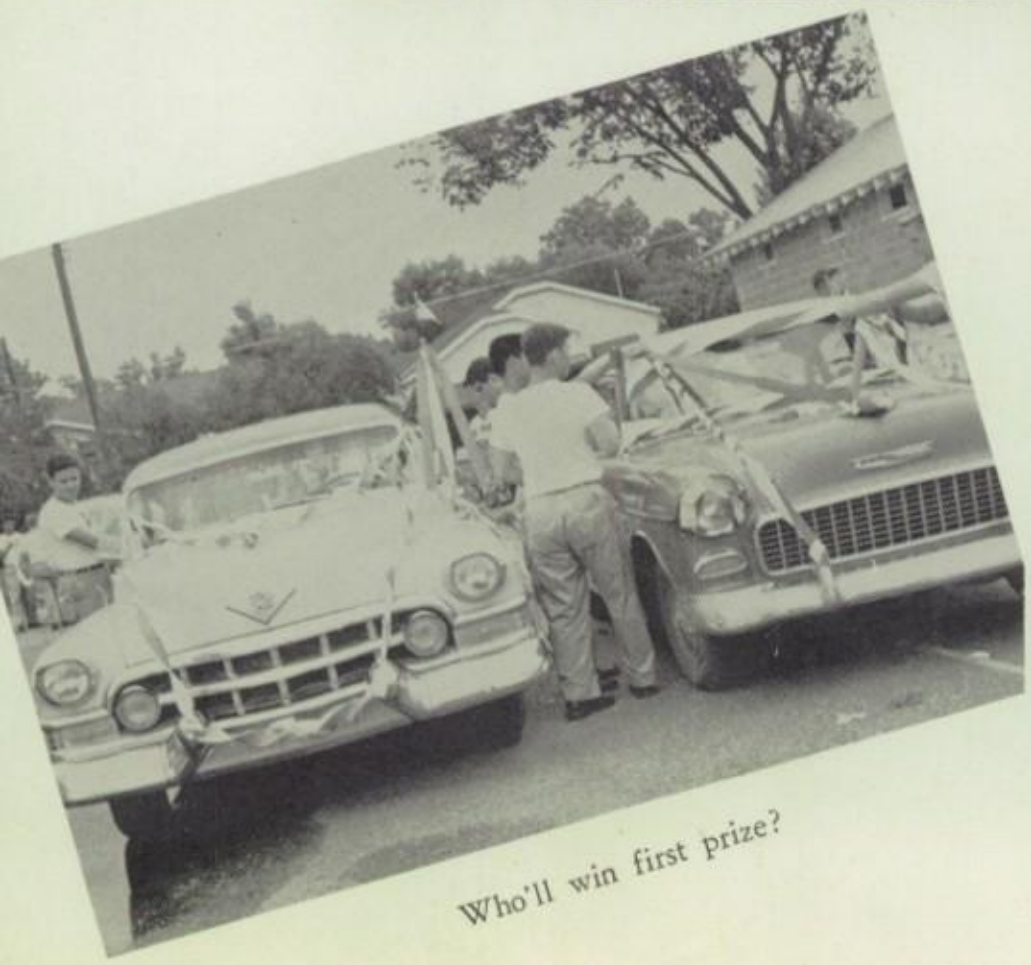


Jam Packed!



Laying on the horn.

When everybody gets set to yell.

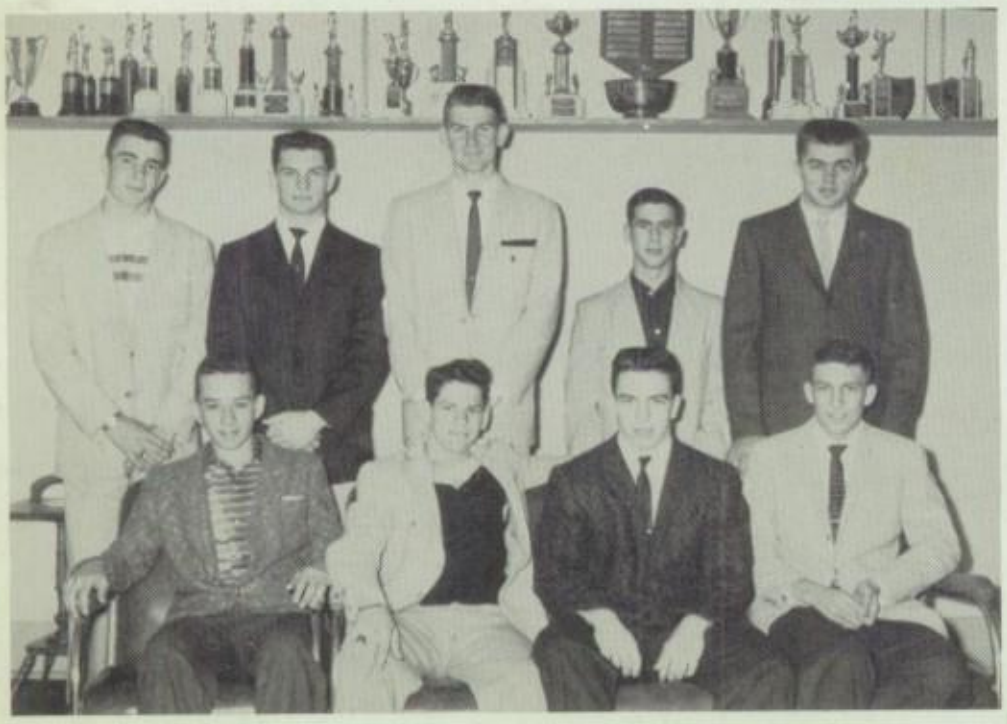


Who'll win first prize?

Awakening the downtown folks.

Donald Mayeux, Skeet Sleet, David Soileau, and Steve Freiman prepare to load up for the long journey to Chicago to attend the Key Club International Convention.

Delegates to Pelican Boys' State: John Lauve, Jim Todd, Donald Webb, George Verzwyvelt, Darrel Glankler, Jackie Barnidge, David Powell, and Clifford Lawrence.



These two groups of Key Clubbers attended the 16th Annual LaMissTenn District Key Club Convention in Memphis, April 16-18.

SEATED: Kenneth Ardoin, Donald Webb, Richard Texada, Skeet Sleet. STANDING: James Petrus, Darrel Glankler, Jackie Barnidge, Mike Guillory, and Clifford Lawrence.

SEATED: Bert Wall, Jerry Bize, Jim Todd, Martin Masden. STANDING: Donald Mayeux, David Soileau, Charles Ardoin, and Steve Freiman.

Providence Coronation Ball

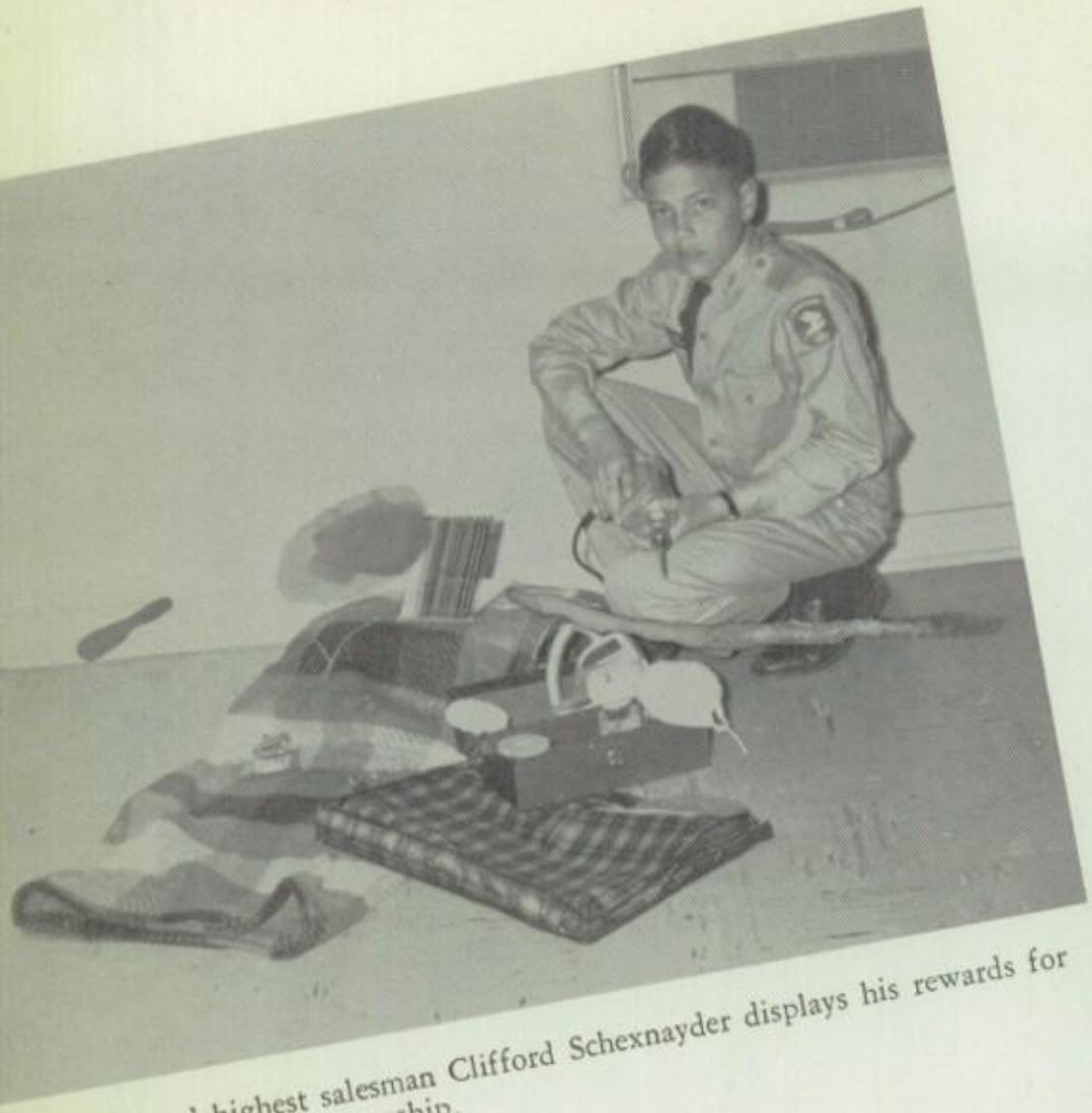
Queen Gloria Damico is escorted by Prince Consort Donald Mayeux to her throne.

The new Queen is crowned by last year's Coronation Queen, Carol Baker.

A gay scene during the Providence Coronation Ball.

The Queen and Prince Consort and Court reign over the Providence Coronation Ball.

Magazine Drive



Second highest salesman Clifford Schexnayder displays his rewards for outstanding salesmanship.

Phillip Sleet, high salesman for the second straight year, is shown here with a few of his many prizes.

HIGHEST SUBSCRIPTION SALESMEN—SEATED: Paul Marcotte, 10 B; Darrel Glankler, 12 A; Weston Porter, 12 B; Steve Lazaro, 11 B. STANDING: Phillip Sleet, 11 A; Willis Coco, 9 B; Ronnie Moreau, 10 A; and Clifford Schexnayder, 9 A.

Career Day

Petroleum Engineering was the subject of Mr. Carlton Hudson's lecture.

Mr. Albert Waring, Mr. Herbert Kraushaar, and Mr. C. J. Herrington discuss Accounting with the students.

General subjects involving Railroading were explained by Mr. J. E. Harrell.

Various Civil, Mechanical, and Electrical engineers give some generalized advice to those interested in engineering.

Jerry Deville receives "Most Valuable Football Player" award.

Bootsy Watson is awarded "Best Back" trophy.

Athletic Banquet

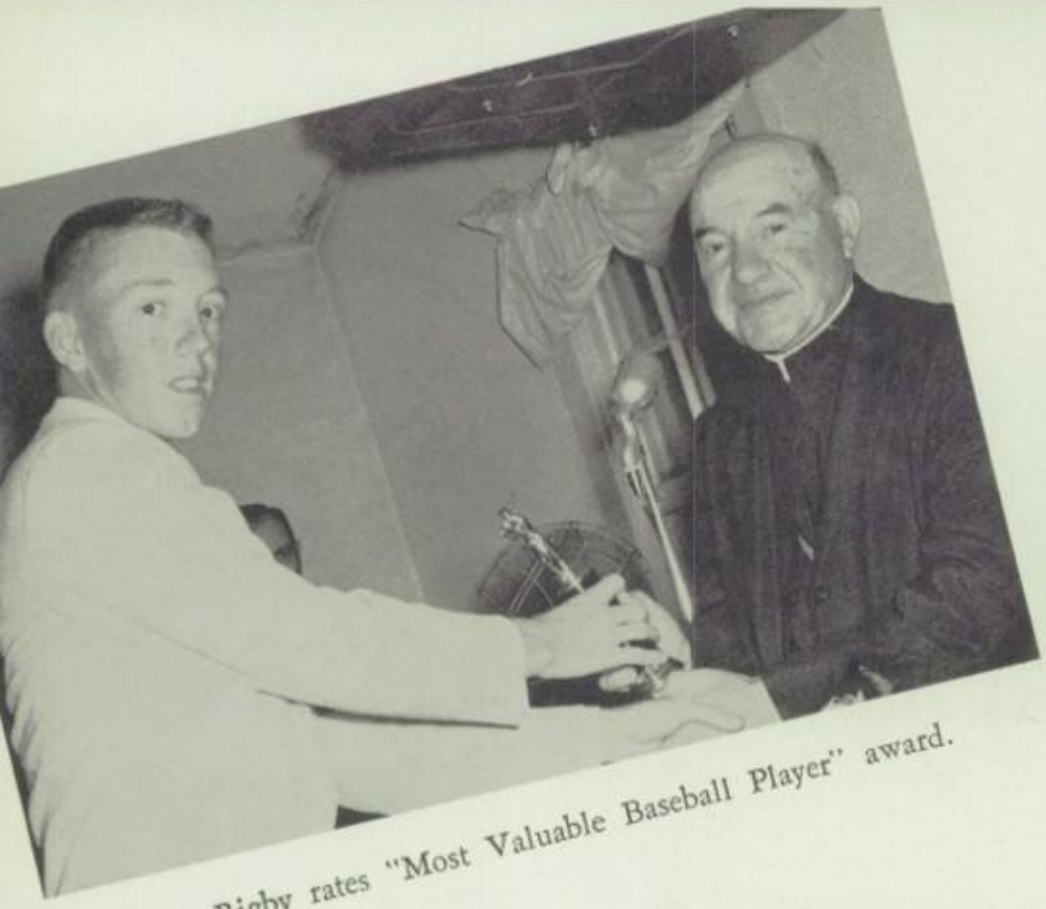
Ted Vallery receives "Best Foul Shooting" award.

ERNIE CHENEVERT, "Best Lineman"

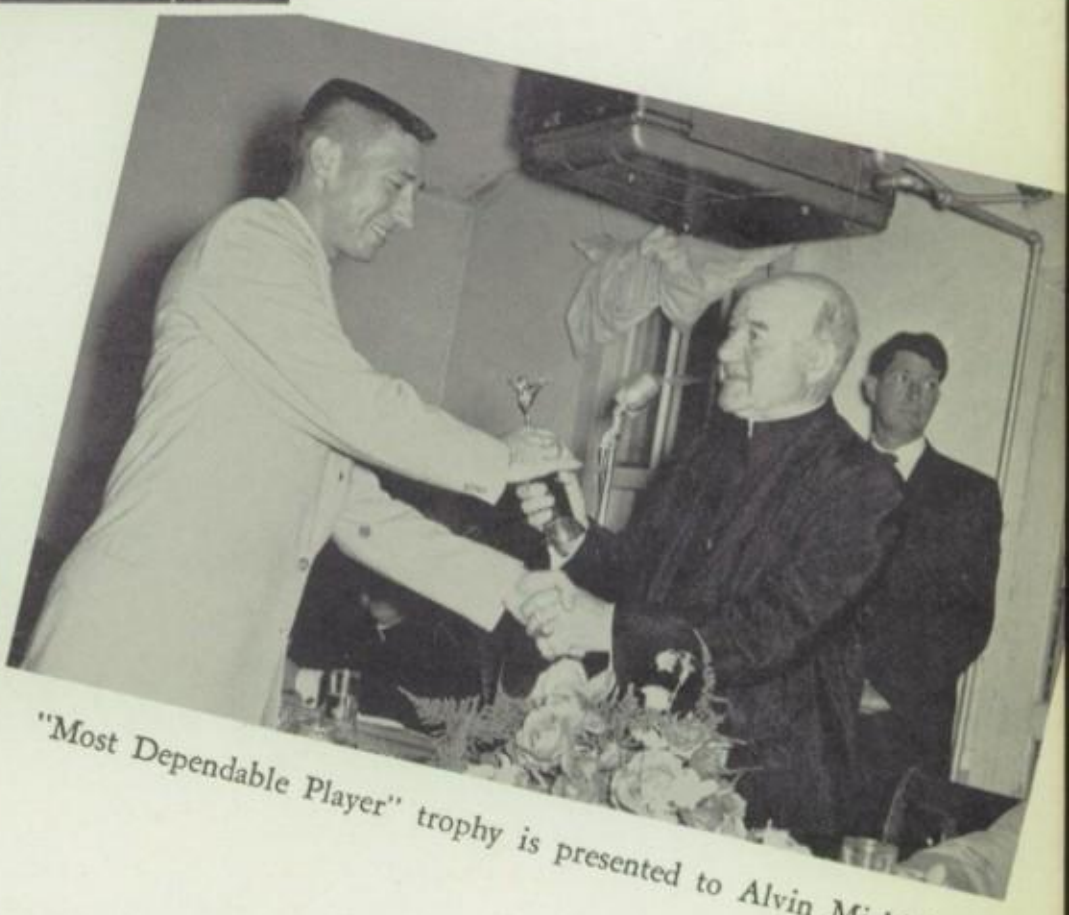
DAVID POWELL, "Ideal Athlete"

RICHARD TEXADA, "Scholastic Athlete"

TROPHY WINNERS — KNEELING: Ernie Chenevert, Pete Rigby, Jim Todd (Basketball "Sportsmanship" trophy), Julian Vienne (Baseball "Sportsmanship" award). STANDING: Alvin Michiels, David Powell, Ted Vallery, Bootsy Watson, Jerome Mahfouz (Basketball "Most Valuable Player" award), Woodrow Crouch (Football "Sportsmanship' trophy), Pat DeLaune ("Best Batting Average" award), Richard Texada, and Jerry Deville.



Pete Rigby rates "Most Valuable Baseball Player" award.



"Most Dependable Player" trophy is presented to Alvin Michiels.

Bishop Greco presents Mr. Tony Genova with "Sport of the Year" award.

Mary Bordelon, Charles Ezernack, Frank Giordano, and Mary Ann Serio star in the hilarious play "Our Hearts were Young and Gay."

CAST

Steward	Creig Shute
Mrs. Skinner	Pat Mule
Cornelia Otis Skinner	Mary Ann Serio
Otis Skinner	Tommy Sanders
Emily Kimbrough	Mary Bordelon
Purser	John Varinaitis
Stewardess	Byron Launey
Dick Winters	Frank Giordano
Admiral	Grace Elane McKey
Harriet St. John	Gail Rylee
Winifred Blaugh	Sadie Furby
Leo McEvey	Charles Ezernack
Inspector	Judy Lemoine
Therese	Cleo Gremillion
Madame Elise	Shirley Boniol
Monsieur De La Croix	Sammy Carrier
Window Cleaner	Creig Shute

Senior Play

The whole cast is seen here as the senior play hits its climax.

A happy group of dancers is snapped at intermission of the Junior-Senior Prom.

Ted Vallery, Barbara Kertz, Mary Lou Luttrell, and Darrel Glankler pose before entering dance.

Juniors and their dates clap to the music of the rock and roll band.

Jackie Barnidge, Juanita Scalfano, Gail Rylee, and George Wagner have their picture taken before they enter the Venetian Room.

The dancers crowd the floor during the Prom as they waltz to the music of Jimmy Clanton.

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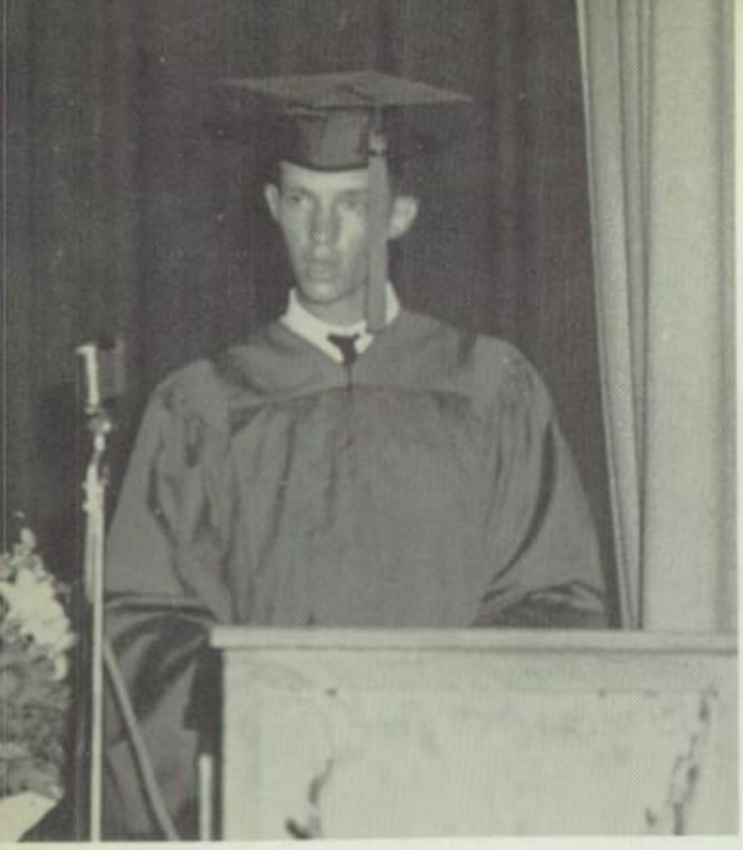
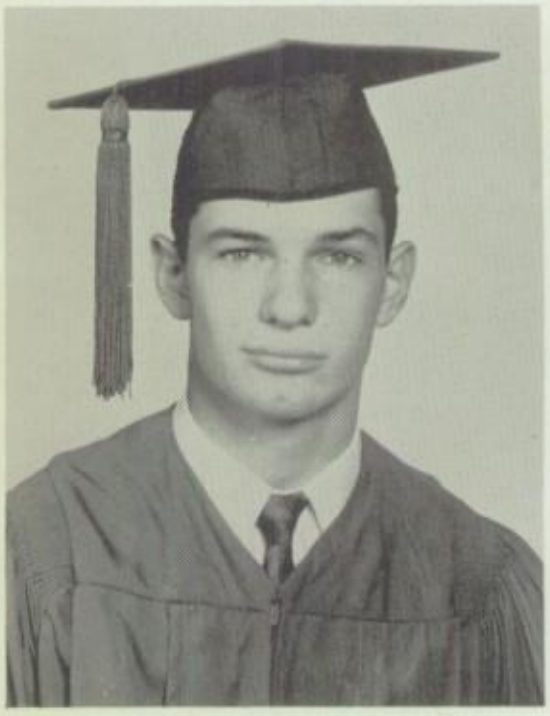
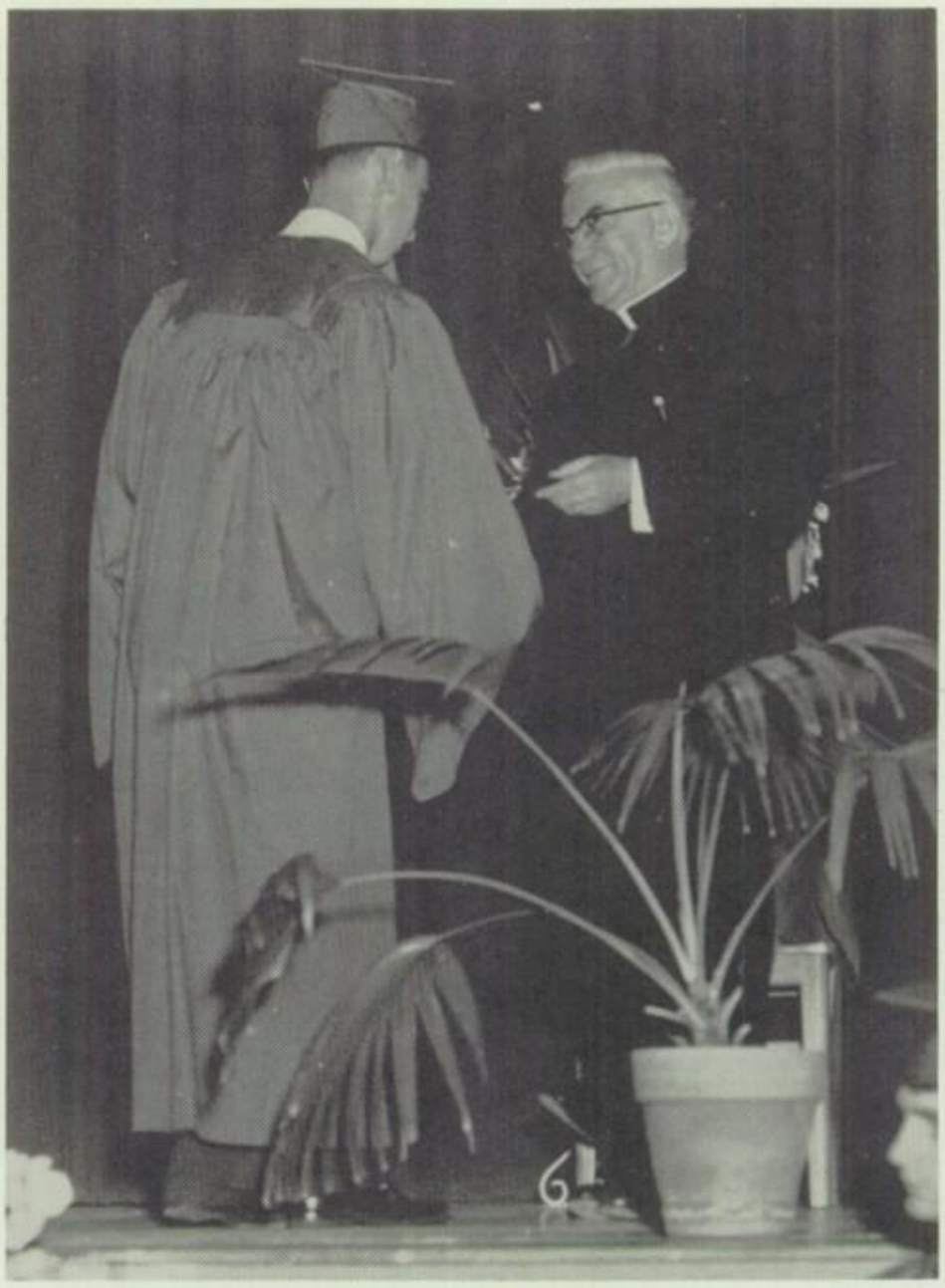


Tommy Sanders, Co-Valedictatorian, delivers farewell address in the name of his classmates on their last night together.



Darrel Glankler achieved finalist rating in National Merit Scholarship Tests.



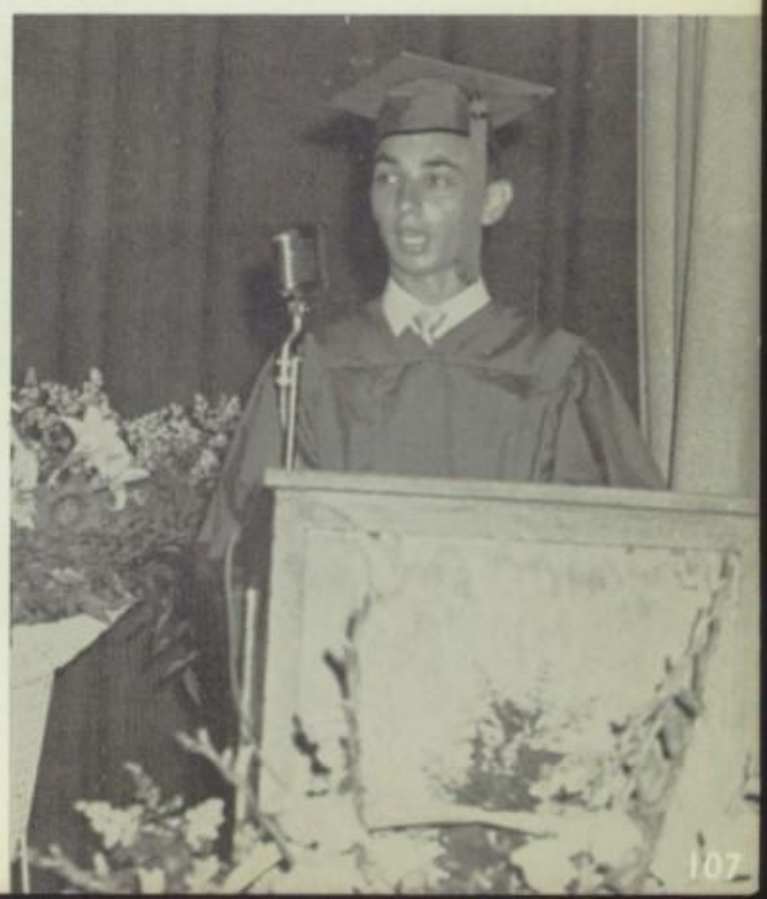
Monsignor Olinger presents Ted Guillory with the Religion Medal.

Hands crossed the seniors listen attentively as Baccalaureate Address is given.

Solemnly the graduates hear some final serious words of advice.

Joseph Viviano receives the outstanding American Legion Award.

Steve Freiman achieved finalist rating in National Merit Scholarship Tests.



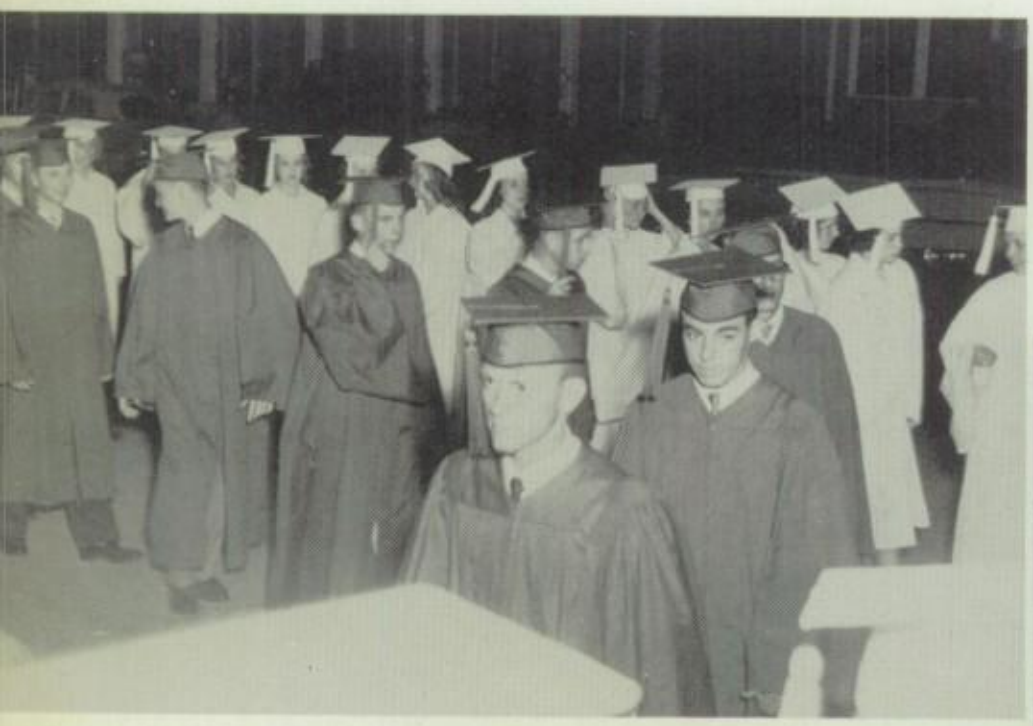
Co-Valedictatorian Ted Guillory warmly welcomes parents and friends to class night ceremony.

Graduation

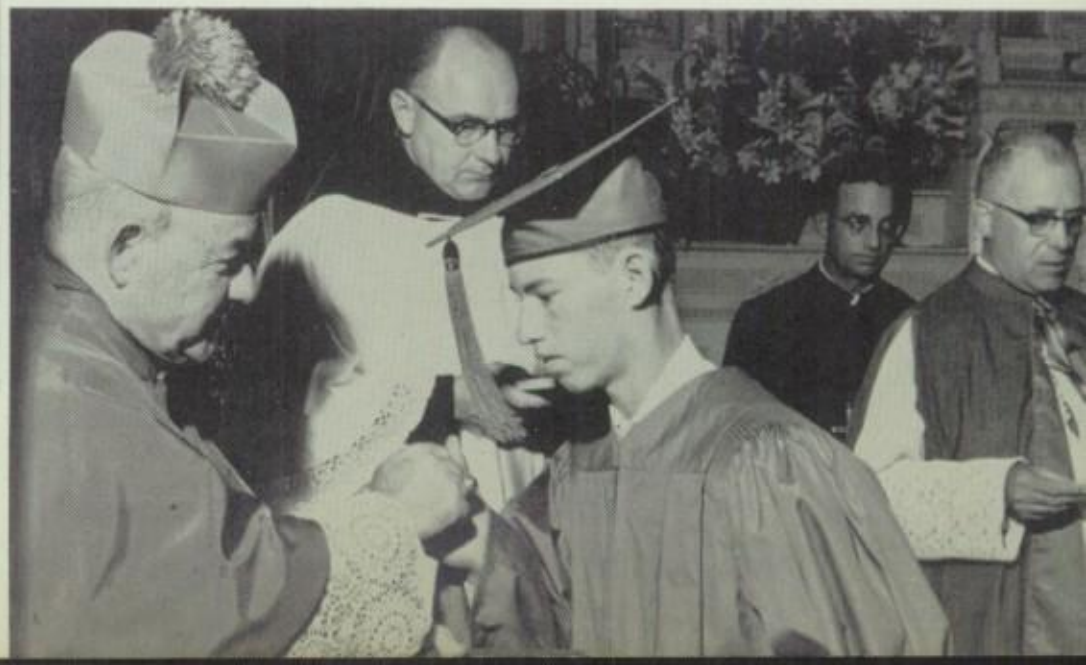
Father Scallan delivers his address to the graduates during commencement ceremonies.

Reception of the Holy Eucharist at Graduation Mass in Prompt Succor Church.

The graduates leave church after assisting at graduation Mass.



The air is tense as Menard and Providence seniors file into the Cathedral.



Clarence Connella receives his diploma from Bishop Greco.

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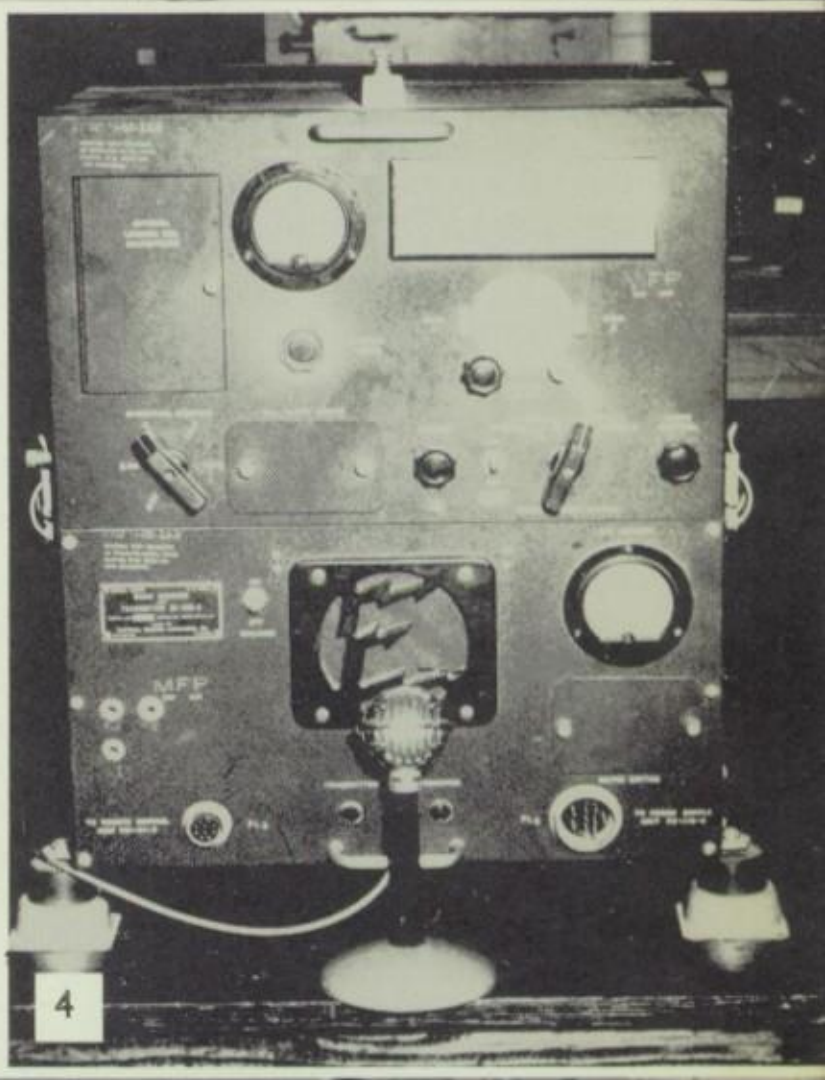
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1. Digging his own grave? 2. Movie Stars. 3. Make out man. 4. Take me to your leader! 5. New Equipment? 6. Boom!!

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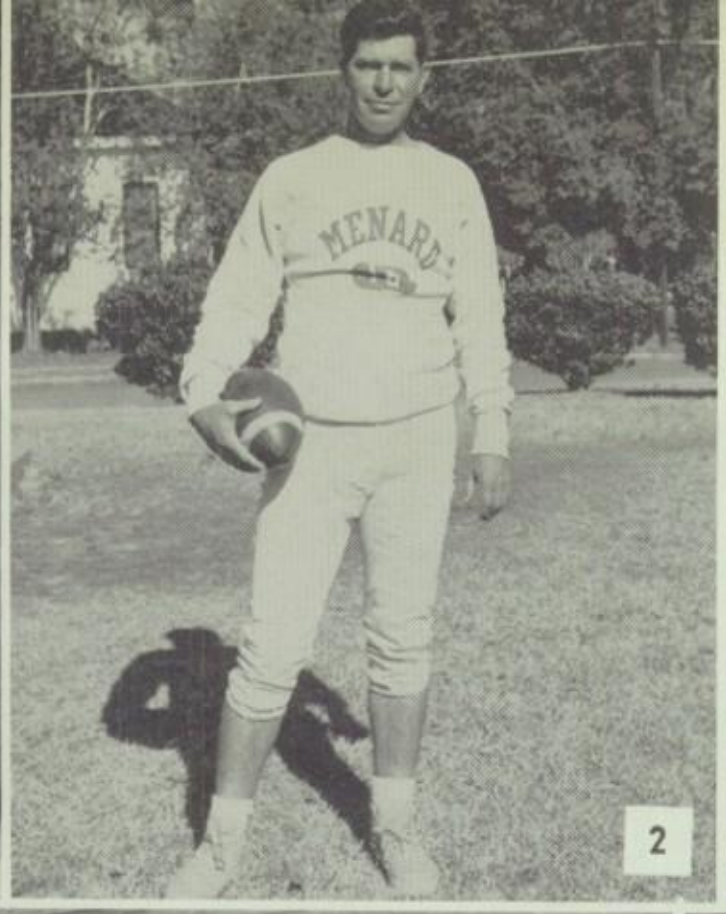

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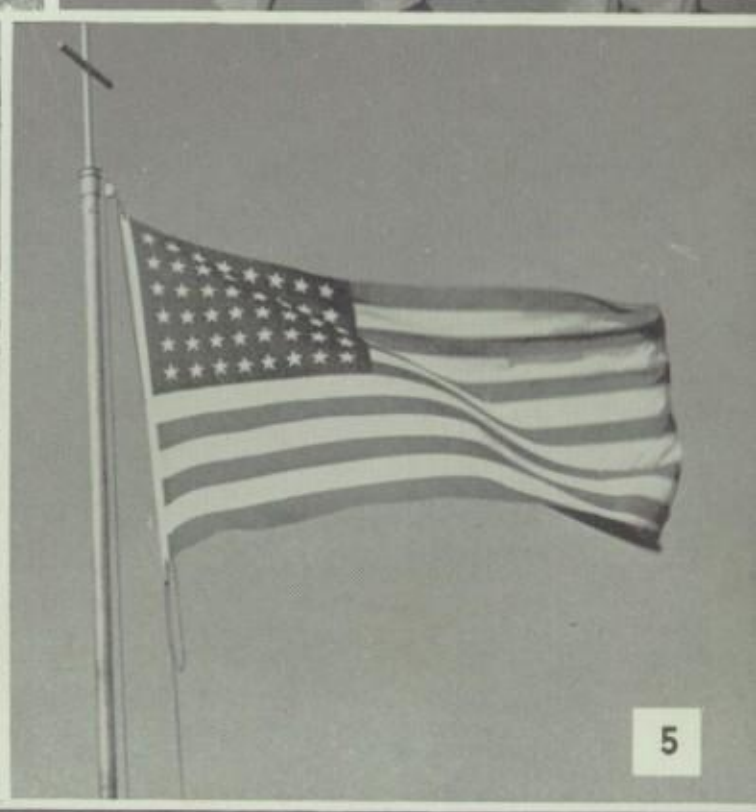

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1. Key Clubbers busily preparing for the Sweetheart Dance. 2. Now you boys have got to get on the stick! 3. Sharpshooters? 4. All together now, girls. 5. Obsolete. 6. Best period of the day! 7. Caught with his pants down.

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1. Mad scientists. 2. The Rangers ride again. 3. Working off demerits. 4. Mr. Domico, the fire inspector, approves of the fire doors on the stairway. 5. Spring practice, what fun! 6. Presenting the most handsome and ugliest, Ernest Chenevert and James LaFleur. 7. We did. 8. Do your daily exercise. 9. Crash! 10. Jump when I say jump. 11. Grab 'im, he's eating size.

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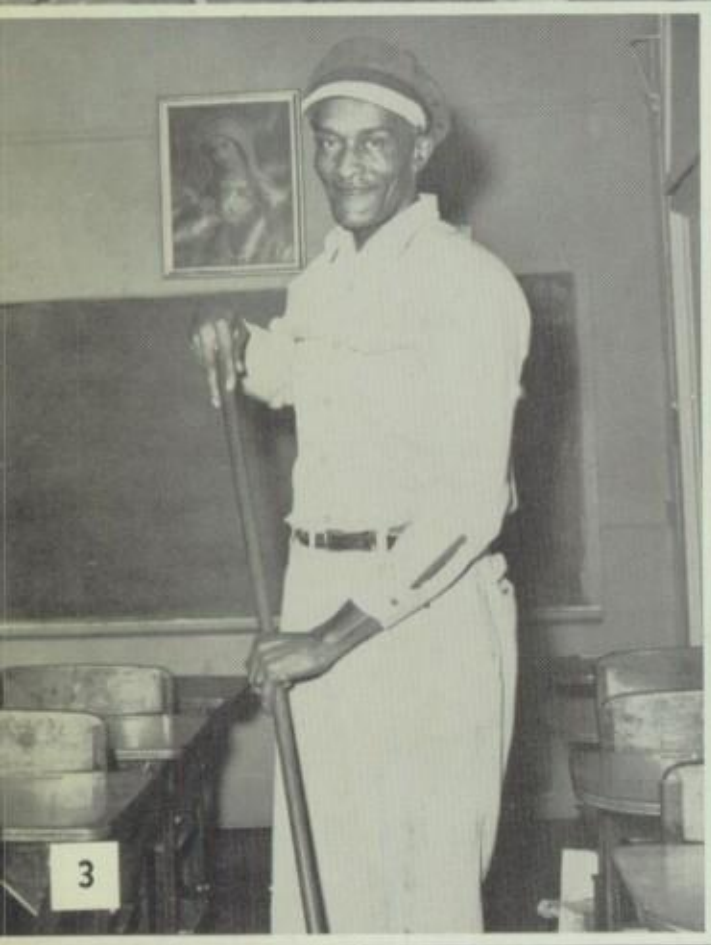
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1. All set for a little fun! 2. Banished to eat last. 3. Doug gets little credit for a big job. 4. All right, Dearie, that's ten demerits for you! 5. A popular pastime at Menard. 6. Minnie and Dorothea prepare to serve the boarders! 7. Best part of the day.

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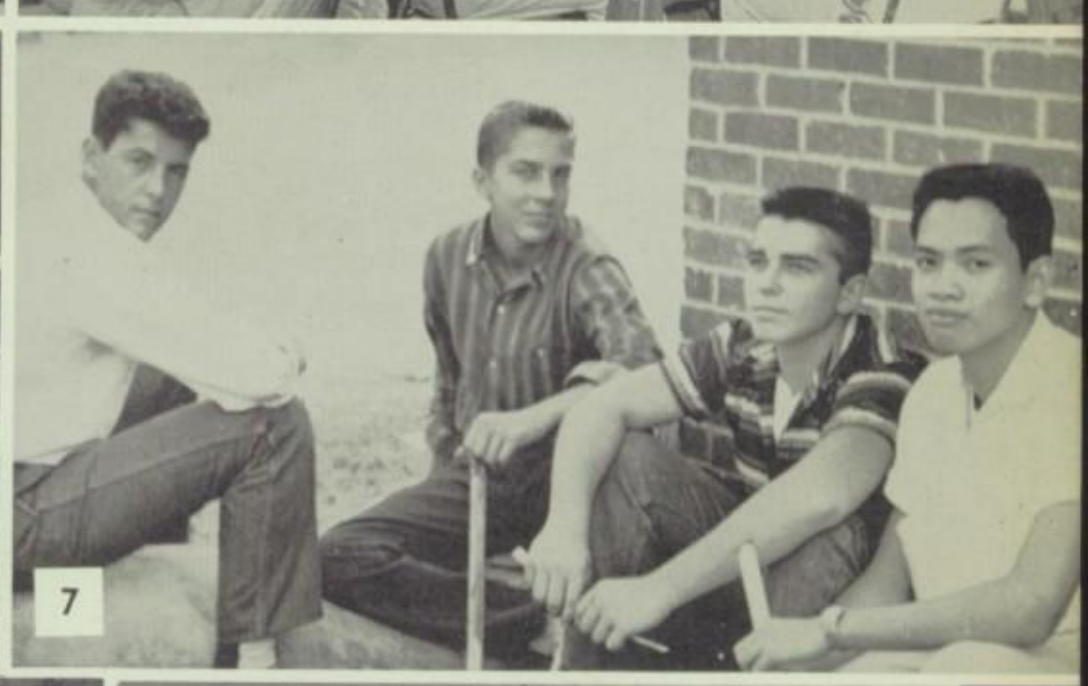
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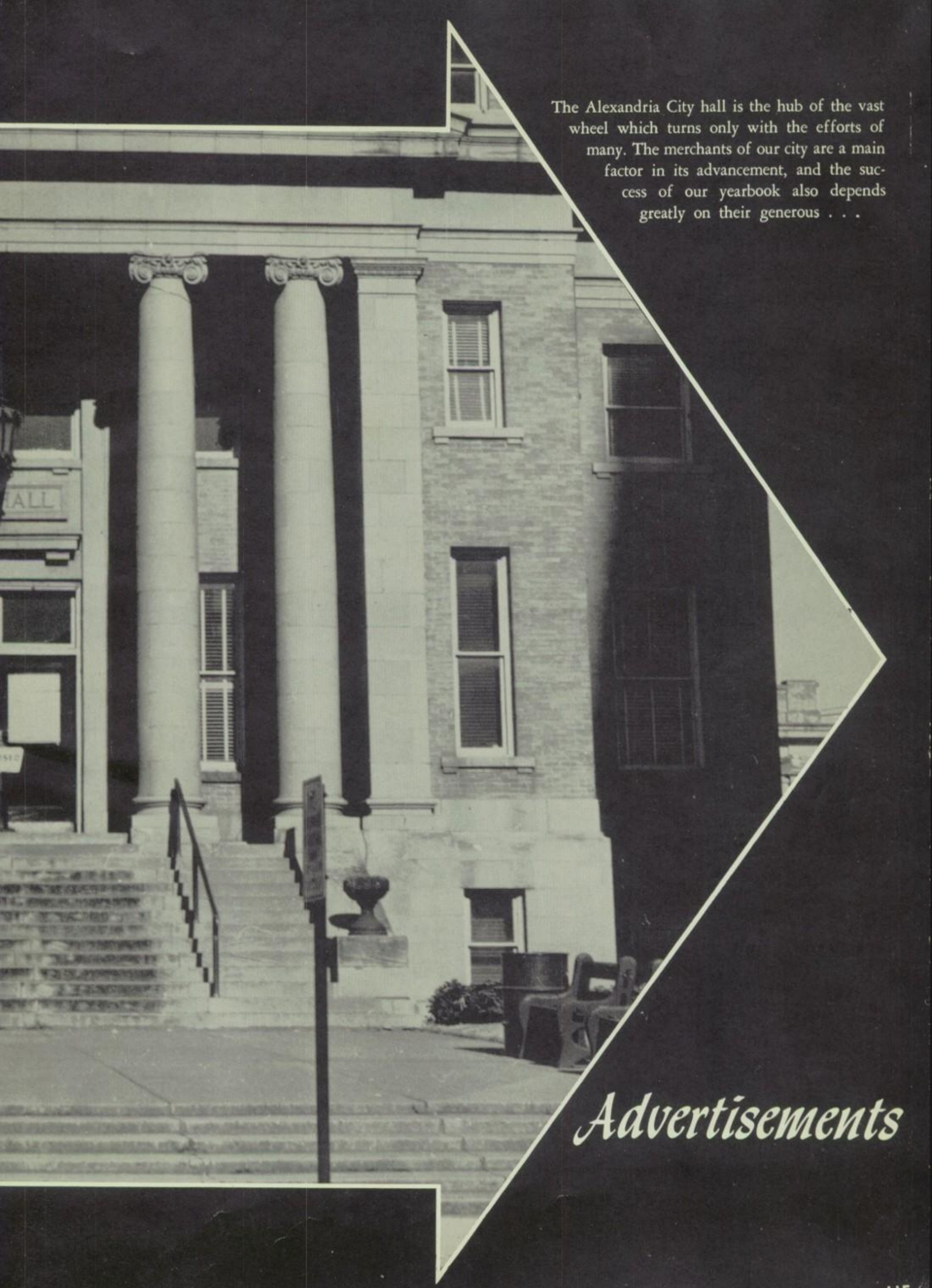
1. Guaranty Bank? When? 2. Boarders popular pastime. 3. Felix "the Kat" leaps high and makes a typical face. 4. C'est Bon Beridon? 5. Starting the day off right. 6. Everyone hard at work, especially seniors. 7. Hiding from the "Czar." 8. Six weeks tests bring grim faces. 9. Cookie ribs Pete during his nightly call to Clara.



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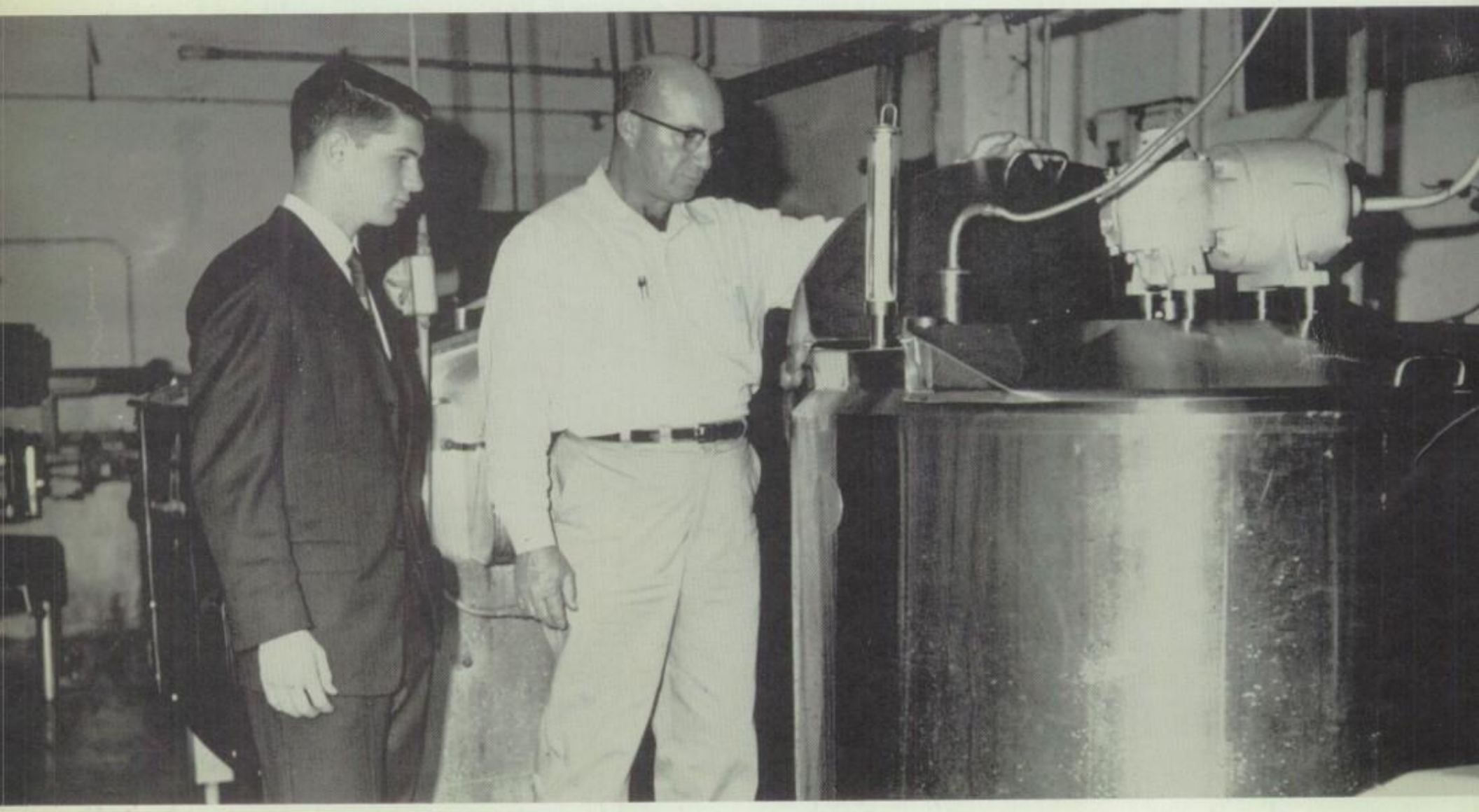


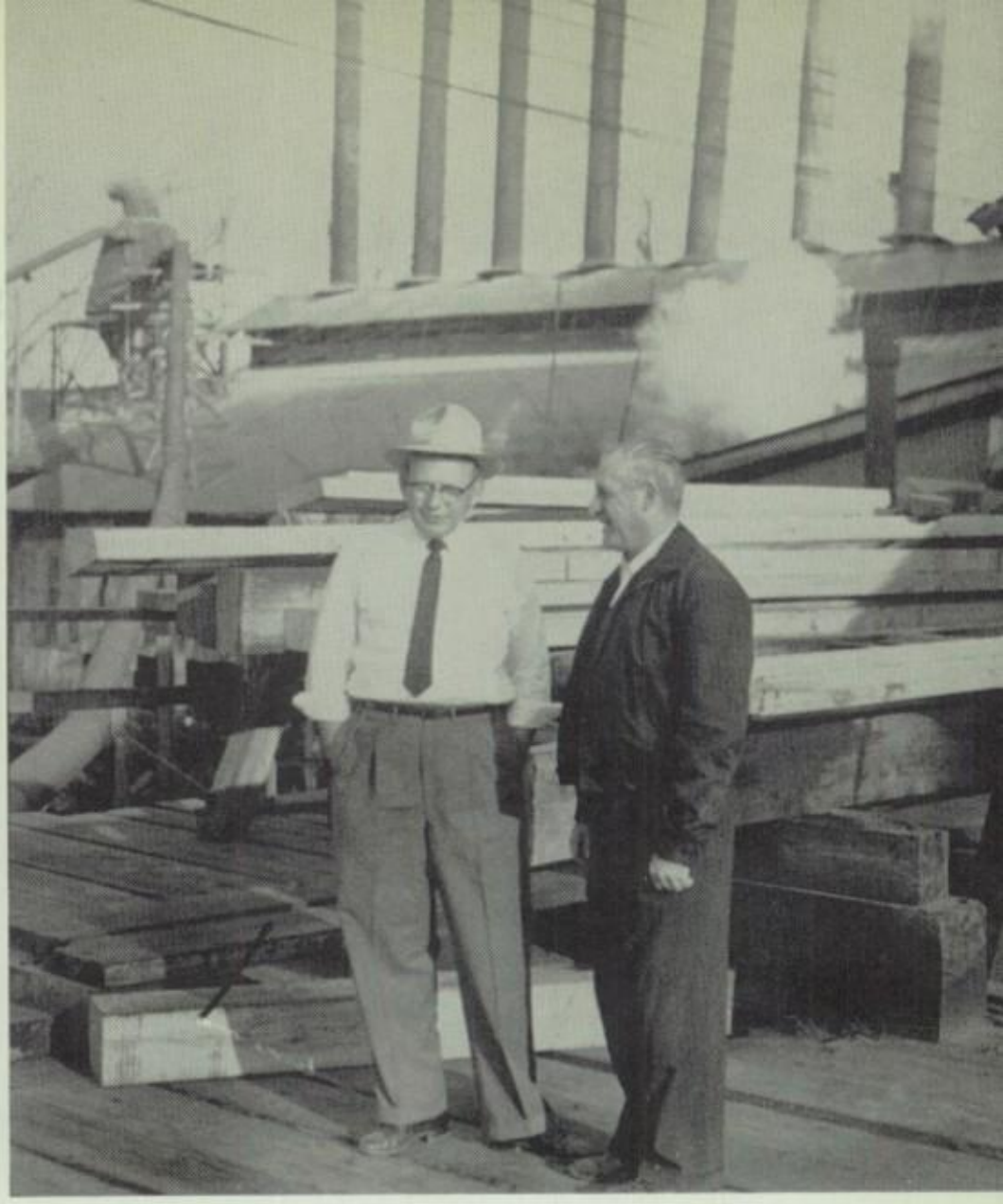
One of the employees of WALKER'S CLOVERLAND DAIRY shows Daniel Glankler the modern machinery used in processing milk. This dairy sells the highest grade pasteurized and homogenized milk.

Brother Elbert receives Darrel Glankler's weekly deposit for the GUARANTY BANK'S School Saving Plan.

Charles Ewing makes his selection of freshly baked pastries at JOHNSON'S BAKERY.

Mike O'Halloran discusses the latest outboard boats and motors sold at JOHNNIE RUSH'S SPORTING GOODS STORE.

Mr. Tuminello shows Jackie Barnidge some of the many items handled by LA. WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS.



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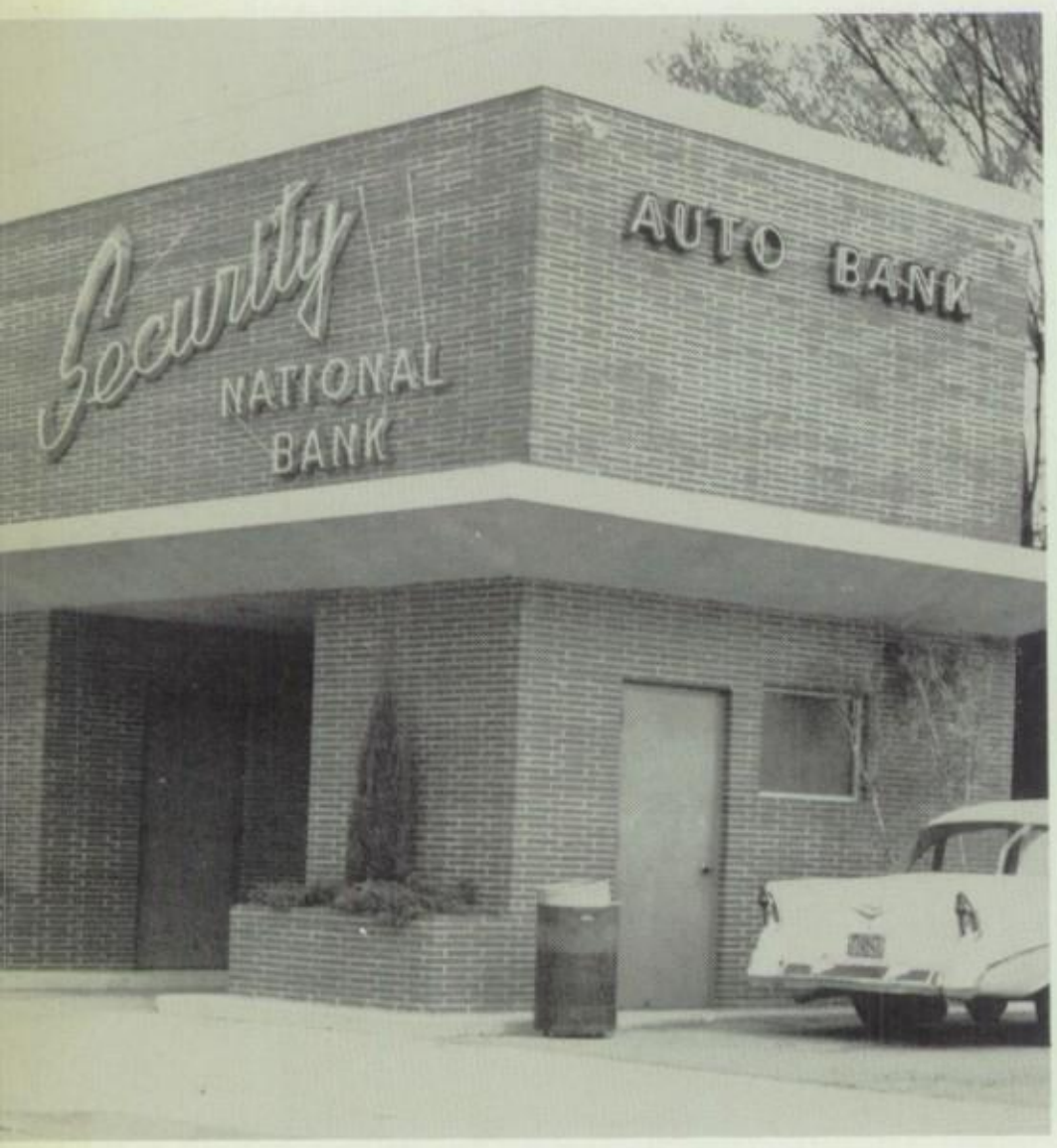

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Weston Porter and Charles Ewing relax and enjoy the luxurious comfort of a ride in a CONTINENTAL TRAILWAYS bus.

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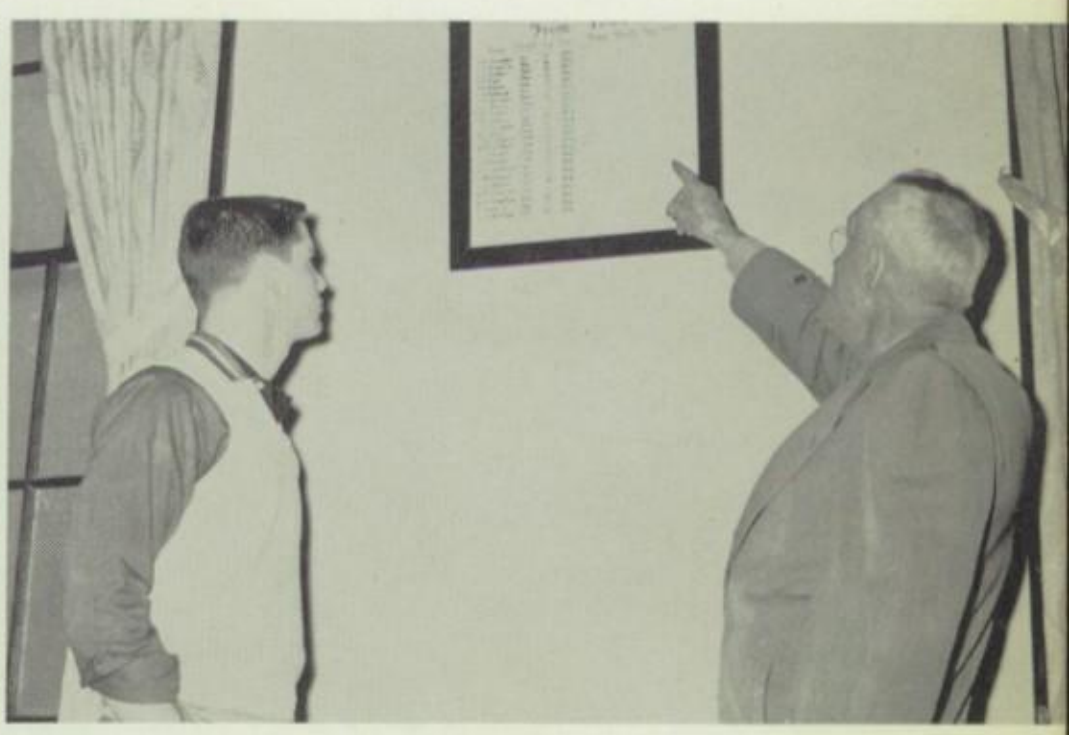
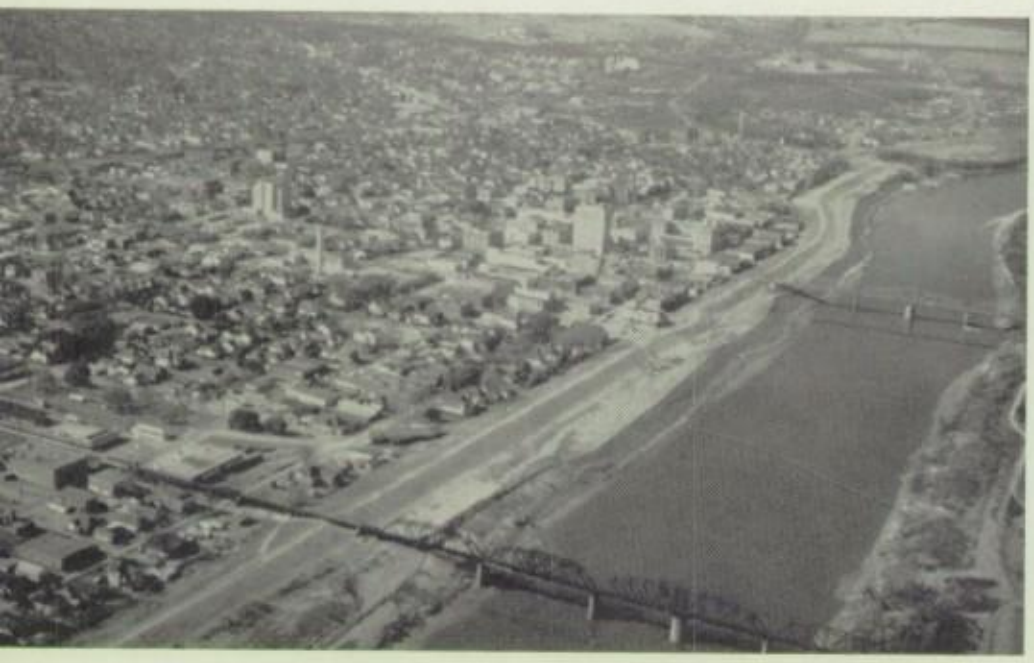
Jackie Barnidge looks at blueprints used in various jobs of TUDOR CONSTRUCTION COMPANY.



Mr. Deville points out to Darrel Glankler the names of deceased members of the Alexandria Council of the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

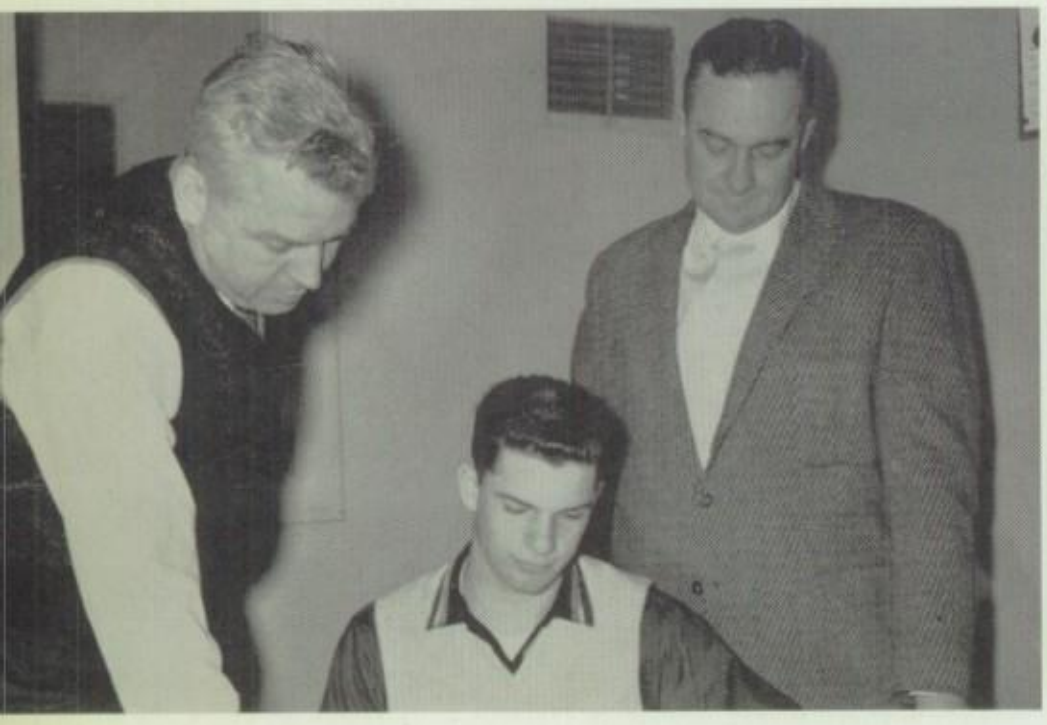


This aerial photo shows the rapidly expanding CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, bordering on the Red River.

Donald Webb admires an electric saw on display at BROWN ROBERTS HARDWARE.

Sally Rowden shows Charles Ewing one of the many items on display that can be obtained with premiums through LOUISIANA COFFEE & SPICE COMPANY.

Charles Ewing, Donald Webb, and Darrell Glankler know that the food and service at the HOLIDAY INN RESTAURANT is tops.



Mr. John Foltz and Mr. Brian Duke explain to Darrel Glankler some of the policies offered by FOLTZ INSURANCE AGENCY.

Bert Wall watches the slicing machine, another modern device used in making those tasty NOAH'S POTATO CHIPS.

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David Powell patronizes the FRENCH UNIQUE CLEANERS exclusively for all his pressing needs.

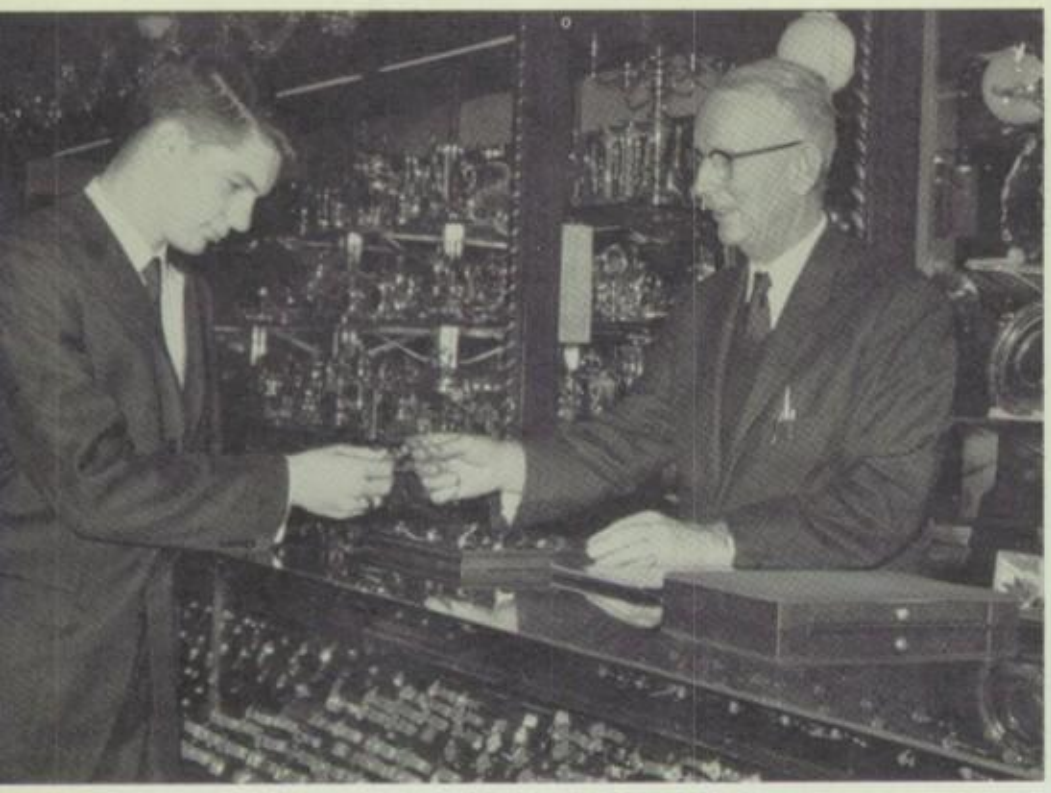
This fine quality door at L. E. DESELLE LUMBER COMPANY gets the approval of George Wagner and Homer Crouch.

George Wagner and Homer Crouch look over some new blueprints at the firm of A. A. GREMILLION CONTRACTORS.

Richard Guraedy selects a rose bush cutting from the PETRUS SEED AND FEED COMPANY which stocks everything for the garden.

Charles Ewing inspects a fine shotgun in the sports department of SEARS.

Darrel Glankler admires the exquisitively designed watches at SCHNACK'S JEWELRY.



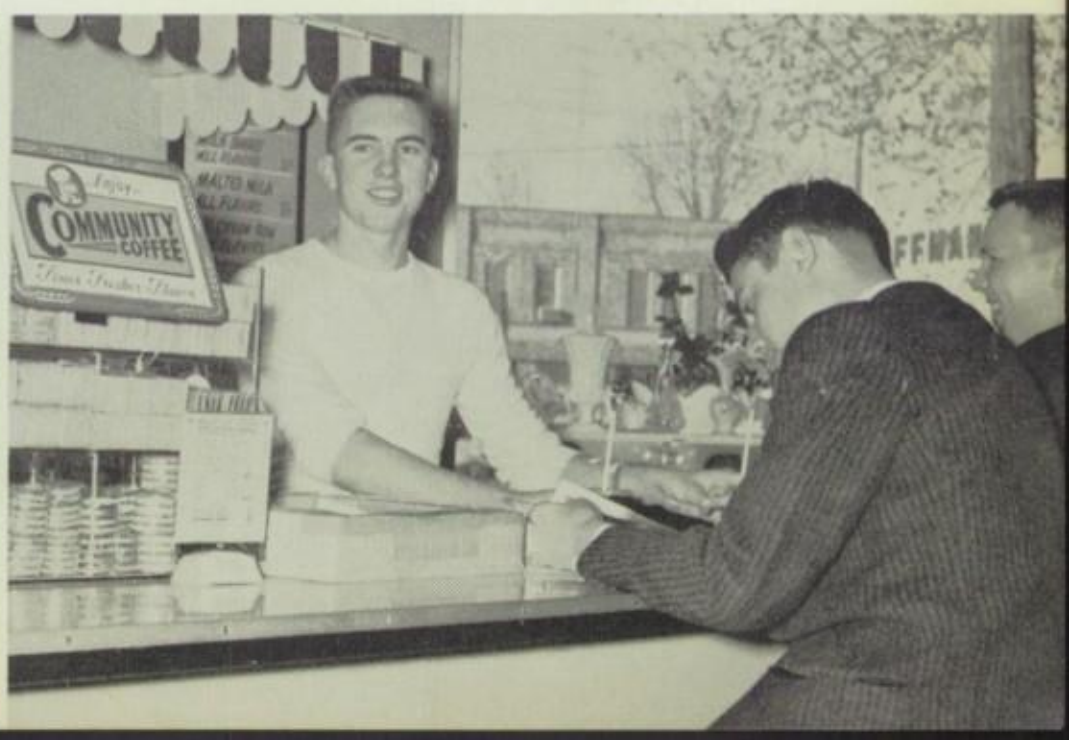
Larry Clements examines the latest styles in shirts at WEISS and GOLDRING.

Seated in a cozy booth, Larry Clements, Donald Webb, and Darrell Glankler inform the waitress at the SPORT'S LOUNGE restaurant of their choices.

"I agree," states Donald Webb. "They do have top quality merchandise at CLARK-DUNBAR."

Donald Webb, Larry Clements, and Darrel Glankler prepare to take off in a comfortable, reliable YELLOW CAB with David Powell as the driver. Look out!

Inspecting the menu offered at the lunch counter in GRAVEL'S DRUG STORE, Ted Vallery and Charles Ewing will soon make their selection.



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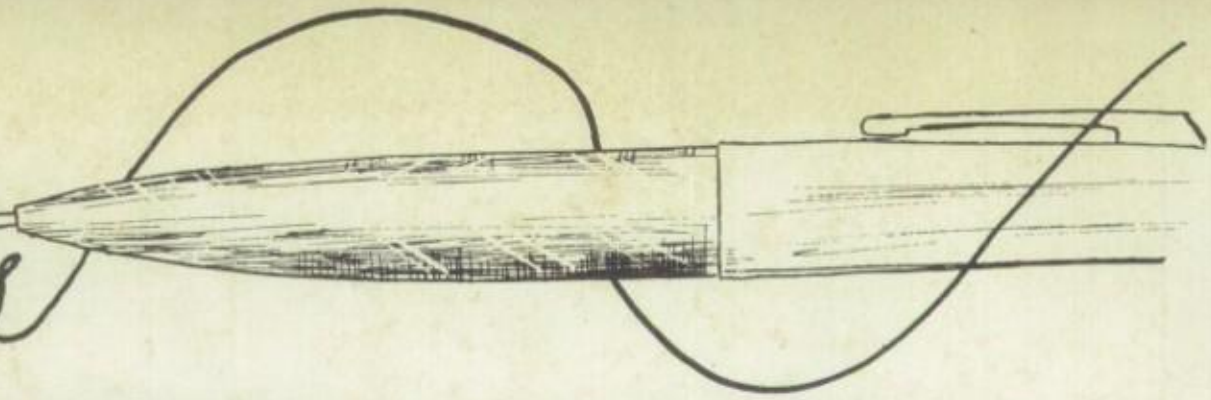

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